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A GHOST STORY.

"Talkin' of sperits reminds me of my experience in that line," said Sutler, gravely, shaking the ashes from his pipe.

"Let us hear it," said I.

"With the greatest pleasure, Cap'n. My father, you see, had been under the turf a great many years. He wasn't a bad man, by no means. A kinder heart never beat nor his; but he was uncommon fond of terbacker. He'e smoke the day out and the day in. He hadn't an equal in that way except old Sam Flint, our nearest neighbor, and he was just about his match; and they used to smoke and tell their tough stories evenin' arter evenin'—but that was afore my father died.

"My nateral susceptibilities bein' fine, I felt raythe bad when the old gentleman stepped out. I used to lay awake night arter night, and think on't. One night, in the fust of the evenin', arter I had turned in, I heard a strange knockin' on the winder-sill, and didn't know what on airth to make on't.

"Who's there?" sez I.

"Your father," sez a voice.

"It can't be posserble!" sez I.

"It's nothin' shorter," sez he.

"How do ye like as fur as you've got?"

"I'm not over and above pleased," sez he.

"I'm sorry to hear it," sez I. "What's the trouble?"

"It's e'enermost imposserble to get any good smokin' terbacker," sez he, in a dejected voice.

"That's melanchully," sez I. "Can I do anything fur ye?"

"Nothin' to brag on," sez he; "but you'll oblige me by layin' a good piece of pigtail on the winder-sill, nights when you go to bed."

"I'll do it," sez I.

"I'll feel obleeged," sez he.

"Not at all," sez I; "but if its a fair question, I'd like to know how you pass your time up there?"

"It's no offence at all, sonny. I set on a sunbeam most o' the time, playin' on the jewsharp."

"It must be very amusing," sez I. "Hev you got the old thing with you?"

"I ain't got nothin' else," sez he.

"Play us up a tune, then," I continued.

"With pleasure," sez he; and so he struck up.

"That's raythe melancholly," sez I.

"I know it," sez he; "but it's all on account of the terbacker."

"I'll get ye some of the raal pigtail," sez I.

"So do, and I'll play ye something livelier next time. Good night, sonny," he added, in a more cheerful tone.

"Come agin," sez I.

"You may rely on't," sez he.

"Good night, then," sez I. "Don't hurt yourself doin' the miscellaneous work, and I'd recommend ye to bring a better instrument when ye come agin." And with that the old gentleman hurried away.

"Did you place the pigtail on the window-sill?" I asked.

"In course I did—the raal ginewine."

"And did he come after it?"

"As reglar as the night came. I never knew him to fail, and an uncommon sight o' the stuff he made away with. If all my relations had come back, and used as much o' the weed as he did, I should ha' been dead broke."

"And what kind of tobacco did Sam Flint smoke at that time?" I continued.

"Pigtail—nothin' but pigtail, jest like that used by the old gentleman," said Sutler, with a look irresistibly comical.

"How was it about your father's ghost?" said I one day to Sutler, as we were alone.

"The fact of the case was," he replied. "I found it took off the change like all natur' to keep my father in terbacker; so I told Flint all about it, and axed him if he couldn't supply the old gentleman with a plug or two occasionally, for old acquaintance sake?"

"I couldn't think of it," sez he; "got a large family to support, and I use an awful sprinklin' of the weed myself. But I've a pound or two I'll sell ye cheap."

"What kind is it?" I axed.

"Pigtail," sez he.

"Bring it over," sez I.

"With pleasure, sez he. And so the next day he brought it over, and I bought it. Well, come to look it over, I found some of the identical plugs which I had laid on the winder-sill for the old gentleman. Upon careful inquiry, I larned that he'd sold several pounds o' the stuff to the neighbors, and seemed to have plenty of the same sort; although, afore that, he used to be hard up for terbacker, for he was poor as Job and an uncommon smoker. Arter that time I didn't lay any more plugs on the winder-sill, thinkin' it best to let the old gentleman depend on his own exertions for a supply of pigtail."

A bachelor friend of ours, passing up the street yesterday, picked up a thimble. He stood for a moment meditating on the probable owner, when pressing it to his lips, he said:

'Oh, that it were the fair lips of the wearer.

Just as he had fiinished, a big, fat, ugly, black wench, looked out of an upper window and said:

'Boss, jis please to frow dat fimble in de entry, I jis drap it.'

Our friend——fainted.

HIRING A BRAKEMAN.

Many years since, soon after the opening of the Norwich and Worcester Railroad, a stout looking innocent, about six feet in his stockins, with thews and thighs to match, stood in the depot at Worcester, gazing with evident admiration at the 'bran new' cars and 'snorting' locomotive which had just arrived at that station. A roguish citizen who stood near him, watched his undisguised wonder attentively, and drawing near, entered into conversation with him. He was 'down from Vermont, arter work, and wanted to get a chance on one o' these railroads.'

'Do?' said the joker, 'why don't you go and see the Superintendent?'

'Waal, would if I knew where to find him.'

'Oh, well, come along with me—I'm going right by his office.'

And accordingly off went the twain, straight to the store, where that demurest of all hoaxers, Jem B. stood like a patriarchal spider, waiting for an unsophisticated human fly that might flounder in his net.

Jem was posted immediately.

'Well I don't know; we've had a great many applications for the post, and in fact, I had engaged a man to go out upon this train, but as he was not up to his engagement, I will talk to you. Have you been accustomed to railroading?'

'W-a-a-l, no I hain't, but I guess I could learn it mighty soon. What's the wages.'

'Thirty-six dollars a month and clothes'

W-a-a-l, Mister, I'm ready, ef you say so, to take right hold.

'Very well then, I'll send you out on this train; but I wish to put you on your guard with reference to one matter, and that is there is a troublesome set of fellows continually hanging round the train, pretending to belong to the road. Some of them may interfere with you; if they do, put them off the cars at once—tell them I put you on the train, and take no impudence from any of them. As to your duties—when you hear one whistle screw on your brakes; if two alarms are sounded, screw them down hard; and when three are given, loosen the bakes for the train to go on. I'll go with you and put you on the train. You return here to-night, and then I will see about your boarding place?'

Accordingly, down they went to the station, and the pretended superintendent showed his employee the brakes and the mode of using them, leaving him with a fresh injunction to 'knock down any one who attempted to interfere with him.'

Before many minutes the Vermonter had a customer. The whistle sounded and on went the brake.

'What are you doing there with that brake!' shouted a legitimate brakeman; jump off there in a hurry if you don't want your head broke.'

Jonathan looked at his rude interogater (a small man) with contempt, but disdained to reply.

'S-h-ree! s-h-ree! who-o-roo!' went the whistle, and the new brakeman screwed away for life, until snap went the chain.

This was the cup too much, and off went the infuriated little brakeman for assistance.—'What are you doing there?' asked the conductor, who returned with the man, and stepping upon the platform, placed his hands upon Jonathan with a view of summary ejectment. A brief struggle ensued, at the temination of which the conductor lay prostrate upon his back; with the small brakeman's head jammed between his legs.

'Come on, ye darned heathens!' shouted Jonathan now fairly aroused; come on—I'll learn ye to cut up yer didos around me! I'm hired, I be; Mr.——hired me for this biziness, and ef I don't learn ye to tend to yer own biziness, it'll be coz yer stouter'n I be.'

A fresh struggle ensued between our hero and some half dozen others employed on the train, who gathered around, and Jonathan was finally overpowered, when an explanation took place, and the Superintendent's store was sought for, but could not be found, as the incorigible wag had not been so incautious as to make the engagement in his own store; and although he was strongly sucpected as being the author of the practical joke, no proof could be had, for by a shrewd management of the face and cool assurance, aided by a different dress, he succeeded in arguing Jonathan out of his suppositions, the latter having charged him with the joke.

The best part of the joke was the denouement.

The actual Superintendent, hearing of the affair and of the indomitable pluck displayed by the Vermonter, sent for him, and did actually engage him; and it is said that he now fills a satisfactory post upon one of the great Western railroads.

But such jokes being serious with six-footers, Jem has been compelled to forego similar luxuries from that day to this.

A BRISK PLACE.—There is a good anecdote told of the little town of Portland, Indiana.

While a certain steamboat was putting out from there, not long since, for N. Orleans, the mate, an old botaman, turned to some passengers and remarked:

"This little town, gentlemen, looks dull, but I assure you it is, perhaps, a mighty brisk place. About 15 years ago, as I was going down with a flatboat to New Orleans, we stopped here to procure some provisions. I went up into the town, and seeing a coat hanging out of a shop door, just took it. The owner came after me—caught me—took me before a magistrate—I was tried—convicted—took 39 lashes—and was back to the boat in 15 minutes! I tell you, gentlemen, a mighty brisk little place is that same Portland.'

A SALEM HACK DRIVER ON THE APOSTLES.—Father Lamson, and Abby Folsom recently visited Salem. When they reached the depot, the hackmen crowded around the cars. As the venerable disciple with his helpmate stepped upon the platform, they were accosted on all sides:

'Hack, sir?'

'Hack, ma'm?'

'Hack, hack, hack?'

'No, my friends,' replied Abby, 'we read that the Apostles always travelled on foot.'

'Blast' em, yes!' ejaculated one of the whips; 'and I believe they all travel this road—I hav'nt had a fare in a week.'

In 1644, a mint was created for coining money, in Boston, by Provincial authority. Maryland is the other colony that ever coined money.

A verdant Irish girl, just arrived, was sent to an Intelligence Office by the Commissioners of Emigration, to find a place of service. She was sent to a restaurant where 'stout help' was wanted, and while in conversation with the proprietor, he took occasion to light his cigar by igniting a locofoco match on the sole of his boot. As soon as the girl saw this, she ran away half frightened to death, and when she reached the Intelligence Office, she was almost breathless.

'Why, what is the matter with you?' said the proprietor seeing her rush in such confusion.

'Och! sure sir, but yee's sint me to the old divel himself in human form!'

'What do you mean—has he dared to insult 'a help' fom my office?' inquired the man.

'Yis, zur,' returned the girl—he's the divel.'

'What did he do to you?—tell me, and I'll fix him for it,' said he, quite exasperated.

'Why, sur, whilst I was talkin' to him about the wages, he turned up the bottom of his fut, and wid a splinter in his fingers, sur, he jis gave a strike, and the fire flew out of his fut, and burned the stick, and he lighted his segar wid it, right afore my own face. He's the divel sure sir.'

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Legal Notices.

THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, }
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. }
In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, of said State.

The People of the State of California, to Armour Moore, GREETING:

You are hereby summond to appear and answer, in said Court, unto the complaint of Walter Williams, in a plea of debt wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of Fifteen Hundred and Forty-six dollars and fifty-two cents, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, from the first day of June, 1854, also for a decree for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage to secure the payment of the aforesaid debt and interest, filed in our said court, within ten days after the service of this writ, if served in said county, and within forty days if served in any other county, or judgment by default will be taken against you for the sum of fifteen hundred and forty-six 52-100 dollars, interest and costs, and for the relief demanded.

Witness, Hon. C. M. Creaner, Judge of the Fifth Judicial District of said State, this 31st day of July, A. [L. S.] D. 1854.
EDW'D. C. BELL, Clerk.
By WM. WILLIS, Dep. Clerk.

Ordered by the Hon. J. M. Bondurant, County Judge of Mariposa county, that service of the summons in this cause, be made by publication of the same for the space of three months in the Mariposa Chronicle, a newspaper published in the town of Mariposa.

Attest: EDW'D. C. BELL, Clerk.
By WM. WILLIS, Dep. Clerk.
S. A. MERRITT, Plaintiff's Att'y. ag4-3m

THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, }
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. }
In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of said State.

The People of the State of California, to Orlando Wilson, GREETING:

You are hereby summond to appear and answer, in said Court, unto the complaint of Mrs. Caroline Wilson, praying for a Decree of Divorce from the bonds of matrimony, filed in our said Court, within ten days after the service of this writ, if served in said County, and within forty days if served in any other County, or judgment by default will be taken against you, and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her said complaint.

[L. S.] Witness: Hon. C. M. Creaner, Judge of the Fifth Judicial District of said State, this the 3d day of August, A. D. 1854.
EDW. C. BELL, Clerk.
RICHARD H. DALY, Plaintiffs's Attorney. ag4-3m

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between Jos. C. Morris and S. Bond, under the name and style of Morris & Bond, trading at Washington Flat, in Mariposa County, is this day dissolved, Jos. C. Morris having disposed of his entire interest in the said firm to R. B. Parker & Co.

The business will hereafter be carried on by S. Bond and R. B. Parker & Co., at the old stand of Morris & Bond, under the name and style of S. Bond & Co.

Stockton, July 11, 1854. JOS. C. MORRIS,
jy21-3m R. B. PARKEK & CO.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the co-partnership heretofore existing between L. FRANKL & CO., in Mariposa and Carson Creek, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. L. Frankl, who continues the business in Mariposa, as before, is authorized to receive all the debts due the late firm
L. FRANKL,
MAYER S. ASCHHEIM,
JULIUS SALOMONSON.
Mariposa, March 30th, 1854. m31-tf

Notice.

THIS is to certify that NEWELL & CO., are no longer Agents for us in Stockton or the Southern Mines, and have no right to use our name in any matter. The business will hereafter be conducted by us on our own account.
Stockton, March 11, 1854. ADAMS & CO.
m31-tf

NOTICE.—The public are hereby notified that the undersigned will apply at the next August term of the Court of Sessions of Mariposa County, for an order establishing a Public Ferry on the Merced River, about one hundred yards above the junction of Maxwell's creek with said river, and near one mile above the village of Horse Shoe Bend. N. T. CODY.
Horse Shoe Bend, May 26th, 1854. ju 23-tf

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of McNAMARA & CRIPPEN, are requested to settle up without delay. The undersigned can be found at the old stand, now occupied by Messrs. Dean & O'Donnell ready to attend to calls of the above nature, and wind up the old business.
ju2-3m J. F. McNAMARA.

OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER, }
Mariposa, June 29th, 1854. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to holders of County Warrants issued prior to the 1st day of June, A. D. 1854, that the undersigned, in connection with the County Judge and Auditor of Mariposa county, will proceed on the 7th day of July, 1854, and each day thereafter at the office of the Treasurer, to Fund the debt of Mariposa county by redeemeing the warrants as aforesaid, and issuing Bonds in lieu thereof, in accordance with "An Act to Fund the debt of Mariposa County and provide for the payment of the same," passed May 15th, 1854.

All persons are hereby notified to present their warrants within ninety days from the 15th day of May, 1854, or the same will not be funded.

W. W. WARD,
jy7-ta15 Treasurer of Mariposa Co.

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ju 9-tf JOHN H. NEALE.

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FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 18, 1854.

☞ MR. JOHN E. METSON, Mail Carrier between this place and Sonora, is hereby authorized to receive any advertisements, job work, subscriptions, or moneys intended for the Mariposa Chronicle.

☞ DAVID W. BUCK, No. 142 Clay Street, is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

☞ Rev. G. S. PHILIPS will attend the Quarterly Meeting of the Metholist E. Church in this place, on Saturday and Sunday the 26th and 27th inst.

Candidates.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

☞ The undersigned is a Candidate for the Office of Justice of the Peace, for Township No. 3, at the Election in September next, and respectfully solicits the support of the people generally.

Mariposa, July 21, 1854.

ag4 tf JAMES M. BLACKWELL.

☞ ALFRED P. WASHBURN, is a candidate for re-election to the Office of Justice of the Peace, for Township No. 3, at the next General Election.

☞ S. W. BECKHAM offers himself as a Candidate for the Office of Justice of the Peace, for Mariposa Township No. 3, at the coming General Election.

☞ A. C. KELLY announces himself as a Candidate for the office of Constable, for Township No. 3, at the next Election. Mariposa, August 11, 1854.

☞ ISAAC LYONS is a Candidate for the Office of Constable, for Township No. 3, Mariposa County, at the Election in September next.

☞ HOUSTON MANN offers himself as a Candidate for Constable, for Township No. 3, Mariposa County, at the next Election.

☞ ISAAC H. MARKS, (formerly of the Merced River, now of Sherlock's,) by request of many friends, offers himself as a candidate for Constable, at the election in September next.

☞ HOLMAN B. CANNON, of Mariposa, is a candidate for the office of Constable, at the ensuing election. Mariposa, August 15th, 1854.

☞ We are authorized to announce E. BURKE, Esq., as a candidate for the Assembly, at the election in September next.

☞ JOHN M. MOORE will be a Candidate for the Office of Constable, for Township No. 3, at the next Election.

☞ We are authorized to announce Maj. B. F. WHITTIER, of Agua Frio, as a Candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, at the ensuing election. au18 tf

ROAD TO MORMON BAR.—This road has at length been completed so that teams can navigate as far as Mormon Bar, affording facilities to a camp by no means the least important in the county. A comparatively trifling expense would connect this place with the lower road at the Chowchilla, and prove of immense benefit not only to Mariposa, but to a large extent of country lying on the Mariposa, Chowchilla, Frezno and Joaquin rivers. There is plenty of room for improvements of this kind throughout the county, and it is to be hoped that Supervisors of roads, and others whose duty it is to attend to these matters, will not allow such golden opportunities to make themselves almost immortal, to escape.

With a road tax of fifteen dollars a year, much can be done towards improving our miserable thoroughfares, building bridges, &c. &c. Good roads facilitate travel, and by reducing the cost of freighting, have a direct influence upon the price of every article consumed in the county.

No person having the interests of the county at heart will object to the payment of a tax imposed for the purpose of making permanent improvements, provided a disposition is manifested to apply the funds so raised in a judicious and economical manner. That such has always been the case heretofore, we are not disposed to admit. Young communities, like young men, are frequently prone to extravagance and mismanagement. Experience, the best of all teachers, however, is beginning to exercise its customary influence on all matters of public utility and economy, and as there are perhaps none of more direct and immediate importance than good roads, it might as well commence there as elsewhere.

INDEPENDENT TICKET.—In another column our readers will see the proceedings of a Mass Convention held in Agua Frio, for the purpose of nominating an Independent Ticket. There are now three full tickets before the people of this county, and it is to be hoped that at the coming election, some little discrimination will be exercised by voters, and men returned to our State Legislature who are possessed of intelligence, energy and honesty enough to be of some service to their constituents. In this connection, the San Francisco Sun makes the following appropriate remarks:

"In no portion of our country does the near approach of 'Election Times,' create so general and absorbing an interest as in California; because in no other State are the fees of office so fat, and in no other State could the majority of those who propose themselves for office in California, with the most unhesitating effrontery, hope for the least chance of success. This is so true that it may be viewed as an axiom; it requires no demonstration, but proves itself. We, as a people, are continually boasting about the superior intelligence of our population, and forming invidious comparisons with our sister States of the Union. But what a frightfully low estimate, morally and mentally, would that person place on us who would take the trouble to analyze the characters and capacities for office of nine out of every ten of the men who have had 'greatness thrust upon them,' since California became a sovereign State!

"Now who are to blame? Is it the 'elect,' who find that their best chance for success in obtaining office, is not to deserve it; or is it the people, who allow such a state of things to exist, enduring the ills they have, rather than fly to those they know not of? In our opinion, the people themselves are the culprits. They knowingly and willingly elect, or suffer to be elected, men who are in every respect unfitted for the offices and sacred trusts to which they aspire, and it is but natural that those men will take advantage of the apathy, or blindness and stupidity of those who are so neglectful of their own interests."

ARRIVAL OF THE

Sierra Nevada.

The Nicaragua steamship Sierra Nevada arrived at San Francisco on Sunday morning last, with two weeks later dates from the East.

The annexed items contain the principal news, none of which is of much importance.

The intelligence from the seat of war in Europe is of somewhat more importance than any yet received. A battle was fought near Silistria on the 21st ult., between the Turks and a portion of the Russian army, numbering 25,000 men, which lasted two days, and resulted in the retreat of the latter, with a loss of 2,500 men. On the 9th ult., the Turks were defeated in Asia, losing a large number of cannon and several standards.

On the 24th ult. a detachment of eight Russian steamers left Sebastopol and attacked three ships of the allied fleet. A running fight ensued, but the three ships made good their escape. Some shots had been fired into the batteries at Cronstadt, and fighting on a small scale has taken place in almost every direction, without any important results.

The Czar has replied to the invitation of Austria and Prussia to evacuate the Principalities. He will evacuate Wallachia and the Danube, which he deems sufficient to satisfy Austria, but will retain Moldavia for ulterior purposes. In his answer to Prussia, he states that he will resign the Protectorate of the Greek Christians when Turkey shall be placed under the protection of the five Powers, and will evacuate the Principalities when the Western Powers evacuate Turkey.

A despatch to the Moniteur states, that the seige of Silistria was raised on the 26th ult., and that the Russians were retiring *en masse*.

Their retreat was being effected from all parts of Wallachia, in the direction of Fokshan and Berlat. They take with them the horses, oxen, wheat, and every thing moveable they can lay their hands on.

The Austrians have entered Wallachia, and a French army is embarking in English ships at Cherborg, for Finland.

Cholera has made its appearance in the garrison at Cronstadt; also, in the British fleet.

The insurrection in Spain has already reached formidable proportions. A battle had been fought between the insurgents and the royalists at Vicalvaro, in which the former, after a desperate conflict, were compelled to give way. So far only the soldiery have taken part in the movement. It is evident that the first decisive blow on either side will effectually decide the fate of both parties.

The bill authorizing the construction of a line of Telegraph from the Mississippi river to San Francisco, passed both houses of Congress on the 18th inst. It gives the contractors two millions acres of land, and the work is to be accomplished in two years.

The most extensive frauds in railroad stocks have recently been brought to light in New York, wherein Robert Schuyler one of the most extensive brokers in New York, figures largely, having perpetrated frauds amounting to $2,500,000. The announcement of the fact fell like a bomb shell in Wall street, and had the effect to stop several large firms. Kyle, Secretary of the Harlem Railroad, has overdrawn his account some 200,000. Edward Crane President of the Vermont Central Railroad has resigned his office in consequeece of the discovery of extensive frauds in which he was implicated, one of which was the over-issue of 8,000 shares of railroad stock.

At Bath, Me., on the 4th and 5th ult. the itinerant preacher known by the soubriquet of the 'Angel Gabriel' lectured against Popery. On the last occasion a mob of several hundred proceeded to the Roman Catholic church, broke in the doors and windows, rang the bell, and finally set fire to the building, utterly destroying it. The mob afterwards paraded the streets, manifesting their gratification at the achievement in the most boisterous manner.

The Grand Jury of Boston have found bills of indictment for riot and assault against eight of the persons engaged in the abolition emute in Boston on the 26th of May, but we miss in the list of names those of the prominent promoters of that outrage.

The Eastern papers contain melancholy accounts of the ravages and spread of Cholera. In New York, the deaths from this disease for the week ending July 15th, were 147.

In Philadelphia during the same week 69 died from Cholera.

It is also raging to considerable extent in Boston; St. Louis; Washington; Shelbyville; Alton, Ill.; New Bedford, Mass Thibodaux, La., severe; Hernando, Miss., severe; Mercer Co, Ky., Nashville, Tenn. Jefferson City and Independence, Mo; Richmond, Va., 20 cases per day; St. Paul, Minnesota; Crestline, Pa, severe; Carlisle, Pa.; Newark, N. J; Providence, R. I.; Montreal, Canada, 75 to 100 deaths per day; Toledo, Rawsonville, and Crestine, Ohio; New Orleans; Richmond, Me., severe; Detroit; Charlestown, Mass; Buffalo; Troy Mt Sterling, Ky., severe; Bedford, Trimble county, Ky.; Fayetteville, N. C; New Brunswick, N. J; Chicago, and straggling cases in a number of other localities.

Late accounts from Texas and New Mexico state that the Indians still continue their hostility to the whites. A general war appears inevitable.

John Smith, the Mormon Patriarch, died at Deseret, on the 23d ult.

Quite a disturbance occurred at Lawrence, Mass., late on the 8th ult., between some Americans and Irish. Early in the evening a party of Irish raised the American flag on a pole, surmounted by a cross. This was torn down by the Americans, but was again hoisted. A numerous party of Americans then gathered, and a fight took place, in which several guns and pistols were discharged. The Irish were put to flight, and several of their houses gutted. The Mayor ordered the military under arms, when the rioters dispersed.

A personal rencontre occurred in New York city, on Tuesday, July 18th, Thomas Francis Meagher, the Irish exile, and Mr. McMaster, editor of the Freeman's Journal, the organ of the Roman Catholics.

It is announced in the official organ at Washington, that General Butler has declined the Governorship of Nebraska.

The Homestead Bill is generally regarded as good as dead. Perhaps, however, some description of a Homestead Bill may yet pass the Senate, although it may not be discussed in the House.

The proceedings of the Hardshell Convention at Syracuse are of an interesting character. Judge Bronson was nominated for Governor by acclamation, refusing to listen to his letter of positive declination.—They approved the Nebraska Kansas bill, because it established the principle that the people of the territories, shall legislate for themselves.

A destructive fire took place at Philadelphia on the night of the 5th of July, destroying property to a vast amount. It broke out in the National Theatre, owing to carelessness in handling matches behind the scenes, and communicated to the Chinese Museum, destroying likewise thirty stores and twenty dwelling houses on Chesnut, Sansome and Eighth streets. The Girard House caught fire, and great fears were entertained for that building, but the firemen succeeded in stopping the fire in that direction. Mr. Shepard, the actor, in returning to the National Theatre to recover his watch, became a victim to the flames.

BURIAL GROUND.—In all civilized countries, the location and embellishment of the resting place of the dead, have engaged the attention of governments, societies and individuals, and has its origin in one of the most commendable traits of humanity. The universal spirit of acquisition, however, frequently gets the better of what little good is possessed by man, as has been the case in this particular section.

We have a public burial ground, pleasantly situated on the creek, about a half mile from town, as most of our readers are aware, well shaded, and ornamented with fine trees, but with no fence to protect it from desecration. Some of the trees have been cut down, and if something is not done soon, scarcely one will be left.

A very small sum of money would be sufficient to erect a substantial fence around this grave yard, and if some person would make a start and interest himself in raising a subscription for the purpose, it would be as good as done.

NEW VILLAGE.—A new camp has lately sprung into existence near Mr. Cunningham's ranch, at the junction of the Agua Frio and Mariposa roads. It is composed principally of Mexicans, who are engaged in working some twenty arasters, and number, as we have been informed, nearly, or quite two hundred. We have not heard what the village is called, or that it has received any name.

OPENING OF THE EL DORADO.—By reference to an advertisement in another column, it will be seen that Messrs. Pujol & Co., have opened their new hotel, which is the largest in the town. The opening took place on last Saturday evening, at which time over three hundred persons partook of the banquet prepared for the occasion. August Pujol, in Mariposa, is as Raphael in New Orleans—the Prince of hotel keepers.

MORTALITY AT THE SOCIETY ISLANDS.—We learn, says the San Francisco Advertiser, from Capt. Buchanan, of the schooner Sea Breeze, which arrived yesterday, that the natives of the Society Islands were dying off in great numbers with the measles, followed by dysentery. In the interior of Tahiti some of the villages have become almost depopulated. A gentleman residing on the east side of the island informed Capt. B. that there were not persons in health sufficient to take care of the sick. At Huahine the distress was very great. It is estimated that with war, disease and bombardment, the population have decreased fifty per cent during the last year.

ARRIVAL OF THE ALLIED FLEETS.—The Polynesian of July 22d, contains a long description of the combined British and French fleets which entered the harbor of Honolulu on the 17th July. The allied fleet consisted of the British frigate President, flag ship, the Amphitrite and steamer Virago; the French frigate Forte, the Eurydice, l'Artemise and brig Obligado—three English and four French. The English carrying 80 guns, and the French 138. This fine squadron is from Callao, via Nukuhiva, one of the Marquesas Islands, and was but fourteen days in making the passage from the latter port. They are of course, looking for the Russians, but the Russians are somewhere else just now, and they must be hunted up if possible, when warm work will of course take place. At last accounts the people of Vancouver's Island were under much anxiety—daily expecting a visit from the Russian vessels, against which they had no means of defence.

A "Union" of the Daughters of Temperance will soon be established in Columbia. The editor of the Gazette says he "would like to join one of them." What a mouth for candy he must have! We would rather join the whole Union.

INDEPENDENT CONVENTION.

On Saturday, August 12th, 1854, the Miners of the county of Mariposa met in Mass Convention, pursuant to a call signed by many citizens of the county.

R. B. Lamon, Esq., was called to the Chair, and Jno. M. Baldwin was appointed Secretary. After considerable discussion Mr. S. S. Reynolds was nominated as a candidate for the office of State Senator; Messrs. Lamon and Burke were nominated for the Assembly.

The Convention then instructed the President to appoint a committee of three to report resolutions expressive of the feelings of the assembly.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Wood, Appling and Baldwin said committee. The committee reported the following:

We, the voters of Mariposa county, having this day met in the town of Agua Frio, for the purpose of nominating candidates to represent us in the Legislature at the coming session thereof, and having nominated S. S. Reynolds for Senator, and R. B. Lamon and E. Burke for Assemblymen, do take this opportunity in presenting their names to the voting masses, of expressing our opinions relative to the interests of the people and of the manner in which elections shall hereafter be conducted.

Whereas, both the old political parties (Whigs and Democrats) have followed the practice put in motion by Martin Van Buren in 1834, and believing that the will of the *whole* people cannot be represented in a caucus convention, and knowing that party conventions are generally governed by a few wire-pulling demagogues, we are opposed to that manner of nominating our candidates,—believing that the time has come when the people, who bear the burdens, should be heard.

Resolved, That we are in favor of a change of the Constitution, so as to make the sessions of the Legislature bi-annual instead of annual.

Resolved, That we believe that a State in which a revenue is raised for its support by licensing gambling, can never assume a prominent place among the States of the Union; that we believe gambling tends to demoralize all classes of the community, and that so long as it is countenanced by the Law, so long will our State be filled with desperadoes, and men must wear arms, as if a hostile army were in the land, for their own defence; that we earnestly hope and trust the Legislature will pass some law making it a grievous offence for any one to keep a gambling house.

Resolved, That we believe one who gambles is unfitted to hold an office, either of honor, profit or trust, and that we will never support or aid the election of any gambler.

Resolved, That this Convention recommend the ticket they have this day nominated, to all classes of the community for their support, but more particularly to the working classes.

Resolved, That every member of this Convention use all honorable means to elect the nominees of this Convention.

The following resolution was introduced and carried unanimously:

Resolved, That the Chair appoint a Committee to act as the Independent Central Committee, himself acting as Chairman of said Committee, for the ensuing year.

The following gentlemen were appointed the Independent Central Committee:

Bear Creek—R. B. Lamon.
Smith's Bar—L. Sharpe.
" " J. M. Baldwin.
San Joaquin—J. W. Fitzhugh.
Mariposa—A. F. Shriver.
Hopperville—R. W. Gentz.
Agua Frio—B. F. Whittier.
Merced River—Wm. B. Taylor.

On motion, *Resolved*, That the Editors of the Mariposa Chronicle be requested to publish the proceedings of this meeting.

A vote of thanks were tendered Messrs. Whittier for the free use of their house.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

R. B. LAMON, Chairman.

JOHN M. BALDWIN, Secretary.

FRUIT.—Already, says the Times and Transcript of the 15th, our market teems with the most delicious fruit. Pears, apples, peaches and grapes, display their charms at every corner. In early days, before the experiment was tried, there were those who thought the soil and climate of California unsuited to the production of orchard fruit; but the past and present seasons have completely dispelled this delusion.

We find the following expressive advertisement in a late number of the Mountain Herald, published at Yreka:

NOTICE.—*To my Creditors.*—I am "Froze Out." As soon as I raise a stake, I will "anti." E. FAY.

A RADICAL OPINION OF THE MAINE LAW.—It is my opinion that liberty is a more sacred thing than the suppression of vice. Compulsory virtue leads to no moral progress. I would rather see all mankind drunk by choice, than one man sober on compulsion. WM. NORTH.—*N. Y. Leader.*

THE GREYTOWN DIFFICULTY.—We learn from the memoranda of the Sierra Nevada that the British brig of war Espeigle had arrived at Greytown, and that her commander Hancock, had in the name of the Queen, declared Punta Arenas under British protection. On the arrival of the news at Jamaica, of the burning of Greytown by the Cyane, the Jamaicans worked themselves into an indignant perspiration at the conduct of that "nation of pirates and Filibusters" as they call Americans, and recommend the Home Government to send a few old ships across the Atlantic, and batter down New York, or some other small town on the coast—just to make Brother Jonathan behave himself!

☞ We are under more than usual obligations to Wells, Fargo & Co., for a full supply of San Francisco and interior papers, furnished to us through Mr. G. W. Stelle, of this place.

From their Stockton office we received the first Eastern papers per last steamer; also, copies of late Sandwich Islands papers.

Mr. Gardner, of Adams & Co.'s, also furnished us with a copy of the New York Tribune.

In a great many of our exchanges the name of B. F. Whitten is inserted as Post-master at Agua Frio—it should be *B. F. Whittier.*

WHITE INDIANS OF THE SIERRA NEVADAS.

Below we give the concluding portion of a letter from a gentleman in the mountains—part of which, giving an account of the discovery of a subterranean pass through the Nevadas, was published two weeks since:

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This village is pleasantly and romantically situated in a beautiful and rich valley, guarded on either side by lofty and precipitous bluffs, which from the evergreens growing upon their borders and variegated colors, present a singularly picturesque appearance. The mountains and table land adjacent are thickly studded with magnificent and lofty pines, cedars and oaks; while in the valley, dressed in her richest and rarest colors, Flora reigns supreme. We were agreeably surprised, upon entering the village, to observe the taste and utility displayed in its construction. The streets were very regularly laid out in a circular form, shaded by trees resembling in appearance the Magnolia. The houses are partly Grecian in style, and of very good workmanship. That occupied by the Chief, or King, would reflect honor upon a more enlightened people. It is a gigantic tructure, built in the form of a pyramid, and surrounded by a succession of corridors rising one above the other. Upon the railing of each corridor—which is wide, and grooved for the admission of earth—are cultivated the most beautiful and fragrant flowers, so arranged that at a short distance the Palace resembles an immense bouquet. The people seem to have great respect for their Chief, who is a venerable and benevolent man of about sixty. We were received and entertained by him during our stay in the village, with the warmest and most profuse hospitality. A part of his suite was delegated to accompany us in our inspection of the village and surrounding scenery. In truth, so much attention was lavished upon us, that at times I was almost induced to believe that a surveillance was placed upon our movements.

We were told that the valley extended nearly to the desert, but that a view of its entrance was obscured by hills of sand. Of the origin of this people I could learn but little reliable. They have a tradition, however, which may shed some light upon the subject. It is that their fathers came from across the great waters; they were visiting, as was their custom annually, a neighboring nation, when they were driven by a gale from the land. The gale continued with terrific force for a number of days, driving them rapidly to the east. After enduring fear, hunger and thirst, until they were driven to despair, they came in sight of land. This land proved to be inhabited by savages, by whom they were taken into the interior and held as slaves. Soon after, a plague appeared among the Indians, which made fearful ravages. The Indians were made to believe that it was a judgment upon them for enslaving the white men, and they were accordingly liberated. Their fathers then established themselves in the valley which they now occupy. They are evidently of Asiatic origin; in stature they very much resemble the Hungarians, and speak a language very similar. I have thought it probable that they have sprung from the nation mentioned by Kossuth as inhabiting the interior of Asia.

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SOUTHERN NEWS.—Mr. Kirkpatrick, who has just reached Los Angeles by the Gila route, furnishes the Southern Californian with the following interesting particulars:

I started from San Antonio, Texas, on the 1st of April, 1854, in company with a party of Stock drovers from that section of the State. (I may say here, incidentally, that the report of high prices in the market of California for beef cattle, which reached Texas in the early part of the present year, has given rise to an active speculation in Texas stock, and consequently the road is now full of beef cattle from Texas, destined for this market;—from 15 to 20,000 is the lowest estimate I have heard of the number.) From San Antonio to El Paso the road is is an excellent one—for 250 miles, grass and water of a fine quality, abound; but for the last 400 miles of the route, grass becomes scarce, and water is not to be found in sufficient quantities for the stock drover.—This territory is at present infested by, perhaps the most bold, daring and dangerous of all the Indian tribes—the Muscaleroc Apaches. This train with which I traveled was surrounded by them, and stopped upon the road, and we had every prospect of a bloody battle, but finally, the difficulty was compromised, by our consenting to trade them tobacco for skins. A cattle drover from Texas was not so fortunate. I refer to Mr. Hedges of San Antonio, whose party was waylaid in a bad canon, known as the 'Eagle Springs', being taken by surprise, had two of his men killed, and 176 of his cattle driven off by the Indians.

Frequent difficulties have taken place with emigrant parties, as I have since learned, and the Apaches were pretty severely handled by some of them. From El Paso the road is for the greater part an excellent wagon way, similar in structure and quality to that already described.—Some difficult passes in the mountains contribute the exceptions to this remark.—We met with no serious obstruction from Indians, but our stock suffered severely for want of water and grass. The general character of the country is that of an elevated plain, high, dry, and sterile.—The Santa Cruz Valley of Sonora is the Oasis of this Sahara,—a beautiful, fertile, and lovely valley—but narrow, and enclosed by lofty and sterile mountains.—Here are several Mexican villages and a few ranches. The villages are Santa Cruz, at the eastern extremity of the valley, Tobac, and Tueson. These Mexicans live in extreme and perpetual dread of the Apaches, their deadly enemies—depredations and murders are continually perpetrated upon them by the Indians. They are much elated by the news of the purchase of Sonora by the United States. We reached the Gila at the Pima villages.

AFFOINTMENT.—We learn from the Shasta Courier that V. E. Geiger, Esq., formerly editor of the State Journal, and State Printer, has recently been appointed Sub-Indian Agent for Northern California. He is now in Shasta county.

DIED:

On the 17th instant, at Upper Agua Frio, JARED H. MARR, formerly of Sumpter Co., Ala.

A CARD.

To the People of Mariposa County:—Having been induced by reasons of sufficient importance to withdraw from the political field at this time, I take this method of respectfully requesting my friends in this county to support the Independent Ticket, nominated at Agua Frio on the 12th inst. Very respectfully,

W. B. TAYLOR.

Mariposa, Aug. 15, 1854. au18 1t

El Dorado Hotel,

RESTAURANT, AND

COFFEE SALOON,

On Charles, between 3rd and 4th streets,

Mariposa.

THE PROPRIETORS of this well known establishment would inform the public that they have moved into their NEW HOUSE, opposite the old El Dorado, where they will be happy to meet all of their old friends. They believe they can furnish board, better and cheaper, than any other Hotel in Mariposa.

The choicest WINES and best LIQUORS in the country, will be kept at the BAR.

To travelers and persons visiting Mariposa, they offer accommodations not to be met with at any other Hotel in town.

SOUPS and STEWS of all descriptions, and all kinds of GAME constantly on hand.

All kinds of CAKES made on the shortest notice.

For the benefit of the public, they will keep their house open until 1 o'clock in the morning.

Board per week, $10. Single Meals, $1. Extras charged for accordingly. Payment to be invariably in advance. AUGUSTE PUJOL & CO.,

ag 18 5m. * Proprietors.

COUNTY ELECTION.—PROCLAMATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a General Election to be held on the 6th day of September, 1854, the following officers are to be elected for the County of Mariposa, viz:—Two Justices of the Peace and two Constables, for each Township.

ELECTION PRECINCTS.

The Court of Sessions of Mariposa County, at a session held at the town of Mariposa, on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1854, ordered and appointed the following Election Precincts.

Stevenson's Ferry, Merced River—March, Inspector; Capt. Mace and Wm. Turner, Judges.

Neill's Ranch—James Neill, Inspector; John Hale and S. Cox, Judges.

Schroeder's—L. B. Barbour, Inspector; William Lee Hamlin and M. W. Graham, Judges.

Phillips' Ferry—J. W. T. Young, Inspector.

Hornitas—S. G. Brownfield, Inspector; Dr. Balfour and Willis Goss, Judges.

Cutler's Bar—People appoint.

Phillips' Flat—People appoint.

Smith's Ferry—People appoint.

Pleasant Valley—Mackay, Inspector.

Horseshoe Bend, Jacobs' Store—Jacobs, Inspector; J. W. Hunt and Hayes, Judges.

Split Rock—Lovely Rogers, Inspector; Hyatt and Osburn, Judges.

Yates' Store—Adam Yates, Inspector; Judges to be appointed.

Coulterville—C. A. Holmes, Inspector; John Aiken and R. R. Brock, Judges.

Coward's Store—Valentine, Inspector.

French Ranch—Hunt, Inspector.

Whitlock's, Stegman's Store—Stegman, Inspector.

Hall & Ross', above the Falls—Harvey Williams, Inspector; Turner and J. P. McCann, Judges.

Whiskey Flat, Thompson's store—Wm. M. Williams, Inspector; James Thompson and Dr. Armstrong, Judges.

Gallagher's Store—Nichols, Inspector.

Barber's Store, North Fork—Holmes, Inspector.

Bear Valley, Hammatt & Simpson—Bates, Inspector; Dr. Clark and Hammatt, Judges.

Mount Ophir, Miller's Store—J. H. Miller, Inspector; J. F. Jenkins and John F. Johnson, Judges.

Lower Agua Frio—Capt. Nelson, Inspector; Prince Steptoe and Parker, Judges. (Whittier's store.)

Guadaloupe—D. Turner, Inspector; Wm. Simpson and A. H. Young, Judges.

Bridgeport—McCulston, Inspector; L. N. Boles and Washburn, Judges.

Smith's Bar—Baldwin, Inspector; Edw. T. Ames and Follansby, Judges.

Vinsonhaler's—L. D. Vinsonhaler, Inspector.

Leach's Store—Edward Hart, Inspector.

French Camp—J. M. Roane, Inspector.

Coarse Gold Gulch—Gilmore, Inspector.

Fine Gold Gulch—Lewis, Inspector.

Millerton—Wm. T. Cruikshanks, Inspector; John Sylvester and Peacock, Judges.

McPermott's—E. J. Stearnes, Inspector.

Howard Ranch—Wm. J. Howard, Inspector.

Indian Gulch—Mr. Cathey, Inspector.

Quartzburgh—D. M. Pool, Inspector; J. Y. Jones and James White, Judges.

Mariposa—D. Ramsden, Inspector; J. M. Ridgway and J. F. McNamara, Judges.

Colorado—C. E. Pay, Inspector.

Ruddle's Stone House—Dr. Barfield, Inspector; Brown and J. W. Smith, Judges.

Turner & Osborne's—George Turner, Inspector.

Mormon Bar, Brown's Store—B. F. Buchman, Inspector; Capt. Powell and C. S. Peck, Judges.

Chowchilla—Newton, Inspector.

Stone's Store—Whitcomb, Inspector.

Bond's Store—Capt. Clark, Inspector.

Toby's Store—Dr. Toby, Inspector; Chiles and John Snow, Judges.

Bear Creek, Houghton's Store—Houghton, Inspector; L. W. Allen and H. B. Eaton, Judges.

Chowchilla, Brown's Store.

J. M. BONHURANT, *
County Judge of Mariposa county.

Attest: EDWARD C. BITT, Clerk, by WM. WILLIS, Deputy Cert. au18 td

Lost,

SOMEWHERE between Bunnell's Flat, on the Merced river, and the mouth of Sherlock's Creek, a NOTE, listed, Coulterville, on or about Aug. 5th, in favor of Wm. A. Newsom, from Stair & Boldridge, for $200, with interest at two per cent. per month until paid. Any person returning said note to E. C. Bell, Mariposa, will be rewarded; and all persons are requested not to purchase said note, as payment has been stopped.

WM. A. NEWSOM.

Sherlock's Creek, Aug. , 1854.—3t

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the purchaser of the Steam Quartz and Saw Mill of Bunnell & Chapin, on Whitlock's Creek, has not complied with the terms of the sale, as made on the 5th day of August, 1854. I will therefore again sell the same, Mill and appurtenances, on SATURDAY, the 19th day of August, 1854, before the Court-house door, in the town of Mariposa.

Terms of sale, cash.

JOHN BOLING, Sheriff of Mariposa county.

ag 18 1t

Runaway.

FROM the subscriber, on the 16th instant, a LIGHT BAY HORSE, bald face, four white legs, with Harness on him. Any person who will deliver said Horse at Carson's Creek, will be liberally rewarded.

EUG. GUIBAL.

Carson's Creek, August 17, 1854. au18 1t*

Wm. Bailey,

MANUFACTURER OF

PURE SPERM, POLAR, AND LARD

OILS.

ALSO—CAMPHINE AND BURNING FLUID.

All Sales guaranteed.

Works, Battery street, between Pine and Bush street; San Francisco. ag 18 3m

N. D. FAIRBANKS. T. C. OSBORN.

Fairbanks & Osborn,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Groceries, Provisions, Liquors, &c.,

BRICK BLOCK ON MAIN STREET,

Between El Dorado and Hunter sts.

ag 18 tf STOCKTON.

$50 Reward.

STOLEN FROM THE SUBSCRIBER ON THE NIGHT OF Thursday, Aug. 10th, a PINTO STALLION. Said horse is of medium size, white face—branded thus A on the left hip, and has lately had a sore back. The reward will be paid to any person delivering said horse to the subscriber, or Rivest & White, at Coulterville.

PETER WYNANTS.

Spring Gulch, Aug. 12, '54. ag 18 1t*

ORIGINAL DEFECTIVE

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

Regular Democratic Nominations!

Election on Wednesday, Sept. 6th, 1854.

FOR CONGRESS.
J. W. Denver,
OF TRINITY COUNTY.
P. T. Herbert,
OF MARIPOSA COUNTY.
FOR CLERK OF SUPREME COURT.
C. A. Leake,
OF CALAVERAS COUNTY.

County Ticket.

FOR STATE SENATE.
A. McNEILL.
FOR ASSEMBLY.
T. C. FLOURNOY,
J. W. HAWKINS.

Regular Whig Ticket.

Election on Wednesday, Sept. 6th, 1854.

FOR CONGRESS.
George W. Bowie,
OF COLUSI COUNTY.
Calhoun Benham,
OF SAN FRANCISCO.
FOR CLERK OF SUPREME COURT.
Joseph R. Beard,
OF NEVADA COUNTY.

County Ticket.

FOR STATE SENATE,
GEN. GEORGE W. HARRISON.
FOR ASSEMBLY,
COL. A. STEVINSON,

Independent County Ticket.

Election on Wednesday, Sept. 6th, 1854.

FOR STATE SENATE.
S. S. REYNOLDS.
FOR ASSEMBLY.
E. BURKE,
R. B. LAMON.

DECISION OF AN IMPORTANT CASE.—On Thursday the 10th instant, says the Argus, the Court of Sessions of Stanislaus county met in special session, and tried the case of contested election, in the matter of Legget vs. Wallis. Wallis was elected County Judge by a majority of two votes, and his election was contested by Mr Legget, one of his competitors. The counsel of Mr. Legget was Hon. J. G. Marvin, also one of Judge Wallis' opponents. The judgment of the Court was, that the points of the contest were insufficient, and unsupported by testimony, and that the election of Wallis was confirmed. There was a large attendance of citizens from the various portions of the county, and great interest and excitement prevailed.

Yesterday evening (Aug. 5th) an inebriated wretch, calling himself John S. Hill, halted at this place, (Pacheco's Pass,) and without getting down from his horse, made some trifling inquiries, which were answered with civility by those near him. He was at once observed to be putting a cap upon a rifle lying before him, with the muzzle pointing to the head of a Mexican, who laid hold of the rifle and pushed it aside. Upon this, Hill, without the slightest provocation, drew a large-sized six-shooter and pointed it cocked at the breast of Mr. Francisco Pegase, (one of the proprietors of this ranch,) who was fortunately near enough to seize the pistol, and thereby saved his life, as Hill fired immediately, the ball taking effect in Mr. Pegase's left thigh, without doing him serious injury. Hill fled at once, but was pursued as soon as horses could be saddled, and overhauled. After a chase of about four miles, towards the close of the run, a bad cap saved his life. After his capture, his being drunk was considered as a mitigating circumstance in his favor; it did not, however, prevent his being most beautifully belabored on the head and ribs with his own pistol. He was kept in custody until this morning, when it was ascertained that Mr. P.'s wound would not prove a serious one. He was then sent on his way, inwardly rejoicing, no doubt, at his peculiar good luck in getting off with his life. Cause why and wherefore of all this—San Juan or Pacheco whiskey.—*Correspondence S. J. Republica.*

DOWNIEVILLE.—A correspondent of the Marysville Herald writing from Downieville, says:

"Business, on the whole, is improving, and things have taken quite a lively turn. Our merchants all think they will have a good fall trade. We had quite a shower of rain, yesterday. I am told by Mr. Jackson, just in from his ranch, thirty miles out, that on Friday night last they had quite a rain storm, which lasted all night. The Know-Nothings have at last made their appearance in this city. What they will do remains to be seen. The Vigilance Committee is about erecting a large cistern, to hold some hundred barrels, at an elevation above the loftiest building in town, to be supplied with a constant stream of water. I think it a good speculation. With such an arrangement, it would be impossible to burn Downieville, and the sooner it is in operation the better."

MURDER OF GEORGE WORK.—This gentleman, the first Sheriff of Tuolumne county, and extensively known throughout the Southern mines, was recently killed at Adamsville, Stanislaus county by a man named Lyons. The difficulty originated in political matters. The following particulars are from the San Joaquin Republican:—"It appears that Lyons had been very quarrelsome for the last three or four days, and at the time was in a difficulty with some person residing at the county seat, and Mr. Werk endeavored to pacify him, upon which Lyons raised his pistol and fired two shots at Work, each of which entered his breast near the heart. Werk fired four shots before he fell to the ground. Lyons immediately walked away to the blacksmith shop, about fifty yards from where Work fell, took a double-barreled shot-gun, and fled to the bushes on the bank of the river. Mr. Work died on Tuesday, at 11 A. M. Lyons is the same man who shot Dr. Fredonia in Stockton, some two or three years ago. There is a large party in search of him; it is supposed he has gone up the San Joaquin river. Lyons is about thirty-two years of age, black hair and whiskers, weighs about 180 lbs., and is about six feet high."

MAILS.—The Eastern mail due at Columbia some two weeks since, appears to have been taken with a prospecting fever, and gone on a tour to Oregon "and a market." The Columbia Gazette gives vent to growls both loud and deep at the carelessness of *somebody*, and innocently calls the attention of the Postmaster-General to the matter!

STOLEN HORSES RECOVERED.—On the 6th instant, the Sheriff of Amador county took sixteen horses that had been stolen from Contra Costa county. The thief, who is now in the jail of that county, had sold them to a Mexican, who in turn had sold them to a third party, living in Ione Valley. The stock was all identified, and sent to Contra Costa in charge of Mr. Merrill, a Deputy Sheriff of that county.

DELICATE SURGICAL OPERATION.—The Nevada Democrat says:

"Mr. Scott, of Little York, while working with a pick, struck the point against a quartz boulder; a piece of the quartz, about the size of a grain of wheat, flew off and struck him in the eye. The outer membranes contracted over the wound in such a manner that the surface was as smooth as usual. The piece of quartz remained in the eye twenty-four hours, causing it to swell badly. The day after the accident Mr. Scott came to Nevada, and had it extracted by Dr. Knox. The Doctor, after first cutting the orifice of the wound a little larger, inserted a pair of forceps and drew out the missile without permanent injury to the eye."

New Advertisements.

☞ DR. GUYSOTT'S YELLOW DOCK AND SARSAPARILLA—*For the cure of disease, or as a Spring Purifier of the Blood, and as a general tonic for the system, is unrivaled.* The curative powers of this Extract are truly wonderful, and all invalids should make immediate trial of the *Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla.* It cannot injure the most delicate patient.

Then fly from mineral nostrums to seek hope, life and vigor from this purely vegetable remedy. Therefore, however broke in health and spirits; however loathsome to himself and others, let no one despair of recovery; let the patient only understand that his hope of physical restoration lies in Guysott's Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, and persuade him for his LIFE'S SAKE to try it, and we have no hesitation in predicting his speedy restoration to health.

Purchasers will please be careful to ask for, and take none but *Dr. Guysott's Improved Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla.* All others in comparison are worthless.

For sale by all the principal Druggists. PARK & WHITE, sole Agents, to whom all orders must be addressed, No. 94 Merchant street, three doors above Montgomery, San Francisco; E. S. Holden & Co., Agents at Stockton. ag4 3m

Fine Summer CLOTHING.

THE subscriber would call the attention of the public to the Assortment of
SUMMER CLOTHING
Just opened in the Store
On Main street, next door below Mr. Cannon's House.
100 dozen Shirts of all varieties;
500 pair Linen and Cotton Pants.
—ALSO—
A large quantity of Summer Coats of different styles and material, all of which will be sold cheap.
Mariposa, August 11, 1854.
ag11-tf JULES ROBERT.

Lots for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale on reasonable terms, several excellent Lots suitable for building purposes, situated on the west side of Charles street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, in the town of Mariposa.
Enquire at the El Dorado Restaurant, of AUGUSTE PUJOL.
Mariposa, August 11, 1854. ag11-tf

"Our House!"

UPPER AGUA FRIO.
WILLIAM KETTON & CO.,
HAVING thoroughly renovated the above Hotel, are now prepared to accommodate the traveling public, and others, with comfortable quarters, as good board as can be found at any other house in the mines, and with as
GOOD LIQUORS AND CIGARS,
as can be found in the market.
Those in want of a pleasant home are requested to give us a trial. Upper Agua Frio, August 11, 1854.
ag11-tf WILLIAM KETTON & CO.

Rare Chance!

THE subscriber offers for sale, on the most reasonable terms, his House and Lot, situated south adjoining the Hospital, on Bullion street, in the village of Mariposa.
☞ For particulars enquire of the proprietor, on the premises, or at J. N. Thomas' Gunsmith Shop.
Mariposa, August 11, 1854.
ag11-3t NATHANIEL HASKELL.

STELLE'S EXPRESS,
CONNECTING WITH
WELLS, FARGO & CO.
AT STOCKTON TO SAN FRANCISCO, ATLANTIC STATES AND EUROPE.
Sight Drafts on Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Offices in all the principal Atlantic Cities, for sale.
Express Business in all its branches promptly attended to.
☞ Gold Dust Bought.
OFFICES.
In Stockton..........at.....Wells, Fargo & Co.'s.
In Mount Ophir..........at..........Miller's Store.
In Mariposa..............................Main Street.
Hornitas..........at......Burton & Barker's.
☞ French, Spanish, Irish, German, and American Newspapers for sale at all the offices.
ag11-tf G. W. STELLE.

PROCLAMATION!

Ye Miners—all who love to roam,
So far away from friends and home,
Just please to stop awhile and see
What glorious news you'll get from me.

Those friends at home, why, "bless your eyes!"
You now can take them by surprise,
And show your bearded, whiskered faces,
And all your "Claims" and mining places,
Your "Tom" and "Sluice," and "tailings" too;
And even the water running through.
All this, and more, sirs, you are able
To place at home upon your table,
Thousands of miles far, far away
From this same California!
And how? Quite easy—just walk round
Towards the upper end of town,
At Mariposa, and there's the place
To get a Picture of your face.
Walk into Flecker's Saloon—
From morn 'till late in afternoon—
You'll find all things prepared for action,
And warranted to give satisfaction.
Daguerreotypes—all sorts and kinds—
To suit all fancies and all minds;
Large and small, and splendid cases,
Suitable for "Claims" or "Faces;"
Or, if you choose, a handsome Locket,
Exactly fit for a sweetheart's pocket.
All this, and more than I can mention,
You'll find there to attract attention.
Come all, no matter what your trade is,
Come right along and bring the Ladies;
(And whether they are fair or no,
Daguerreotype will quickly show.)
Pictures in *any kind of weather,*
Singly, or two or more together.
Now if you want a "view" or "claim,"
Walk in and "register your name;"
Or come my specimens to see—
No charge for that—*admittance free!*
Saloon in readiness, *boys, recollect,*
I may be off ere you expect.
Pictures good, and prices low,
Now's you chance, before I go.
Recollect the name—and call in soon—
Flecker's Daguerreotype Saloon.
Mariposa, 1854.
ag4-tf D. A. FLECKER, Operator.

MARIPOSA MARKET.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.
THURSDAY EVENING, August 17, 1854.

FLOUR—Gallego and Haxall, $18 to $20; City Mills $16 to $18 ₩ bbl.
GRAIN—Barley, California, 5c; Seed Wheat, 7 to 8c ₩ lb.
CORNMEAL—Sales in half bbls at $7 to $8.
PROVISIONS—Mess Beef in half bbls $17 to $18; Clear Pork, barrels, $38; do do half barrels, $19,50 to $20; Hams 20c to 22c ₩ lb; Clear Bacon, 20c to 22c ₩ lb.
BUTTER—June, in firkins, 36c to 40c ₩ lb.
SUGAR—No. 1 China, 12½c@13c ₩ lb; Pulverized and crushed do, 17c ₩ lb.
SYRUPS—East Boston and Stuarts, $1.50 ₩ gal.
COFFEE—Green Rio and Java, 18@19c ₩ lb.
LARD—In tins 20c ₩ lb; in kegs, 17@18c ₩ lb.
TOBACCO—Grape brand, 38@40c ₩ lb.
TEA—Green Tea in caddies, 65@70 ₩ lb; do black, 70 @75c ₩ lb.
PICKLES—In kegs, 90c@$1 ₩ gallon.
SHOVELS—Ames' long handled, $20 ₩ doz; do short handled, $10@$12 ₩ dozen.
SHOT—$4@$4.50 ₩ bag.
NAILS—11c ₩ lb.
VINEGAR—80@90c ₩ gallon.
BEANS—Chile, (new crop) 10c ₩ lb.
DRIED APPLES—15@16c ₩ lb.
RICE—Carolina No. 1, 9c ₩ lb; China No. 1, 7½c ₩ lb.
POTATOES—3c ₩ lb.
DRILLS—11@11½c ₩ yd by the bale.
LEAD—In bars, 16c ₩ lb.

YERBA BUENA HOTEL.
KNOWN ALSO AS THE
PACIFIC TEMPERANCE HOUSE,
Nos. 87 and 89 Pacific street, between Sansome and Battery streets, San Francisco.

E. HYDE, Proprietor of the above named House, desires his friends and the public to know that he has recently enlarged, re-fitted and refurnished his Hotel, and is now prepared to furnish superior Lodgings for Gentlemen, Ladies, and Families.
HIS TABLE,
Also, is provided with the best the market affords, prepared by excellent Cooks, and served by the most civil and attentive waiters.
His guests will find every thing essential to comfort, with none of the annoyances connected with dram selling.
It is truly gratifying to him to see that those who have stopped with him once stop again when they come this way; and he would only add, that, in view of his extension and improvements, there is now room for both themselves and their friends; and if they cannot remember our new name, which, by the by, is the original name of our wonderful city, and will distinguish our House from every other in the world, (the principal reason why it was adopted,) they will, at least, remember No. 89 Pacific street, being on one of the principal thoroughfares leading from the Steamboat Landing.
N. B. Terms moderate.
July 19, 1854. jy28-2m

MINERS' EXCHANGE AND Savings Bank,
By Dr. A. S. Wright.

ALL moneys left at this Banking House will bear an interest of one and a half per cent. per month, redeemable at pleasure, counting interest from date of deposit.
Gold Dust left at this Office to be assayed, or for coinage at the United States Branch Mint, will receive immediate attention; and the results from assays will be returned every forty-eight hours; and the charge in all cases will only be one and a half per cent., including all charges for Assay and Coinage, or one-half per cent. for assay alone, when the amount is fifty ounces and upwards; all amounts under fifty ounces, the price will be $5.
Miners and Merchants, leaving gold dust at this Banking House to be assayed, can have an immediate advance on their gold without any charge for advancing.
Bills of Exchange on the Eastern States at ninety days from date, or at sixty days from sight, will be drawn at par. Sight drafts will be drawn at three per cent. or at the usual rates at the time of drawing.
Mint Certificates purchased at a reasonable discount.
Gold dust and gold bars purchased at the highest market price.
Rich Quartz Specimens valued free of charge, and the highest price paid for them when offered for sale.
☞ Corner of Montgomery and Sacramento Streets.

For Rent.
THE HOTEL,
SITUATED ON THE LONG MOUNTAIN, ON THE STAGE Road leading from this place to Stockton, between the Cow and Calf and Corbitt's Ranches, will be rented on reasonable terms, and put in good condition for occupation, if rented. For further particulars, apply at the Pioneer Steam Saw Mill, on Sherlocks.
Mariposa, July 21st, 1854. D. WHITE & CO.
jy 21-3t By G. GREEN, Agent.

☞ R. T. THORNER, DENTIST, begs leave to refer to the following gentlemen in Mariposa:
COL. S. A. MERRITT, E. BURKE, ESQ.,
I. LYONS, ESQ., DR. A. D. BOYCE.
jy21-tf

To Rent,
CONVERSE'S HOUSE
AND FERRY,
ON THE SAN JOAQUIN.
AS MR. CONVERSE intends returning to the States this fall, we will rent to a good tenant at a reasonably rate, our House and Ferry.
The House is a large Adobe, two stories high, fifty by twenty-four in size—Kitchen and Shed attached,—and in every way well fitted for a Public House.
The Boat is fifty-five feet long, in fine order, and doing a good business.
Possession given immediately; for particulars enquire on the premises. Millerton, July 12th, 1854.
jy21-tf CONVERSE & WORLAND.

IMPORTANT TO
Stock Owners!!
STOCK of all kinds taken to Ranchs, on reasonable terms.
☞ Enquire at TAYLOR'S STABLE. jy14-tf

Barley,
GROUND AND UNGROUND,
and Wheat!
FOR SALE AT TAYLOR'S STABLE. jy14-tf

Team, Dray, AND Saddle Horses,
CONSTANTLY on hand, and for Sale or to Let, at
jy14-tf TAYLOR'S STABLE.

TAYLOR'S New Stable,
FOR THE ACCOMMODATION OF THE TRAVELING and Riding Public, at "Live and Let Live" prices. Office, at Reynolds & Newcomb's (Phillips) Hotel, Main street, Mariposa. ju 23-tf

Dentistry.
R. T. THORNER,
SURGEON DENTIST, MARIPOSA.
OFFICE at the Drug Store of DR. A. D. BOYCE.
Also—operations guaranteed, and satisfactory references given.
☞ TEETH inserted, from one to an entire set.
☞ TEETH filled and cleaned.
Charges Moderate. ju30-tf

Soda Water MANUFACTORY,
Main Street, Mariposa.
KRAELL, HOWELL & HICE, PROPRIETORS, Would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they are now in active operation, and are prepared to supply all demands for their celebrated SODA WATER or "POP."—Thankful for past favors, they hope by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon them. ap21

San Francisco Advertisements.

California ART UNION!
Superb Collection
—OF—
WORKS OF ART!
A MAMMOTH INGOT OF GOLD, DIAMOND WORK, SUPERB WATCHES, &c., AT
DUNCAN'S Chinese SALESROOMS,
SAN FRANCISCO.

MR. DUNCAN has been engaged in Europe for some months past in selecting everything beautiful in Manufactures and the Arts for importation to this State. Having expended more than three times the amount gained by his last Annual Distribution, in erecting a Gallery for the display of Paintings, Sculpture, and Specimens of the World's Industry in this city, he will now receive the RICH and COSTLY Wares gathered during his tour, and intended for the SPACIOUS ROOMS erected for their reception. The collection will have no equal at home or abroad—and he can confidently say that neither London, Paris nor New York will be able to show, as the stock of a mercantile firm, the many treasures of Art and valuable objects of *vertu* intended for California. The Catalogue will embrace several thousand articles, from the delicately wrought

BRONZES OF PARIS!
—TO THE—
GRAND PAINTINGS OF ITALY, GERMANY, FRANCE AND SPAIN!
SHAWLS of Cashmere;
VASES of Bohemia;
CRYSTAL of Prague and Vienna;
CARVINGS and Filagree Work of Genoa;
MATCHLESS Mechanism of Geneva;
MOSAIC WORK of Florence;
GEMS OF ART from Brussels;
SILVER and Gold Brocades of France.
THE COSTLY WARES OF PARIS!
—CONSISTING OF—
SEVRES Porcelain, wonderful in its Exquisite Workmanship and prized in Art;
DIAMOND Work of great beauty;
SOLID Silver Dressing Cases;
GOLD and Silver Work and Music Boxes;
STATUETTES, Clocks and Bronzes;
FANS of Gold and Mother of Pearl, set with Diamonds;
CABINETS inlaid with Jewels;
CASKETS studded with Gems;
SUPERB Paintings by the best Artists of the Age;
BEAUTIFUL Copies from the Priceless Originals in the Imperial Gallery of the Louvre,
—AND—
COUNTLESS Elegant Trifles for the Drawing Room and Boudoir.

It is impossible here to recount more than a very few of the principal objects of interest purchased—Full Catalogues will be issued soon. Among the most conspicuous are—The Magnificent Paintings of the
DESCENT FROM THE CROSS!
After RUBENS, purchased by Mr. Duncan at the Cathedral of Notre Dame, in Antwerp, where the Great Original was presented by the renowned artist to the Church of his Native City.
THE CHAPEL OF ST. THERESE!
The wonderful work of an Invalid Painter, while confined in the Hospital of Bruges.
THREE ORIGINAL PAINTINGS BY TENIERS, VANDYKE AND GREUZE!
THE HOLY FAMILY, By Blanchard!
The Finest Modern Painting for sale in Paris.
THE LARGEST DIAMOND IN THE UNITED STATES!
Imported through the House of Messrs. ROVENAT, of Paris and New York, for which $3,000 in cash will be paid, should the winner desire it.
SERVICES OF SEVRES PORCELAIN!
Formerly belonging to NAPOLEON THE FIRST and LOUIS PHILLIPPE, with their Crown Mark, Initials, etc.
A CLOCK OF THE DAYS OF LOUIS XIV!
Exhibiting the most equisite and surprising Mechanism, with Pendants of Diamonds and Precious Gems.
THE FAMOUS BOUDOIR CLOCK OF MDLLE. RACHEL, THE TRAGEDIENNE!
Representing a Flight of Birds—the plumage is true to nature—the whole scene most life-like. The mimic warblers fly from bough to bough, and fill the air with the notes of the Mocking Bird, Canary, etc.
AN INTRICATE PIECE OF MECHANISM FROM COLOGNE!
A Magician performing with perfect accuracy the curious Tricks of his Profession.
THE GREAT ORIGINAL PAINTING OF THE HUGUENOTS!
This Picture is well known to Parisians, and will be welcomed with enthusiasm by every lover of Art in California.
THE SUPERB TABLEAU OF PSYCHE AND AMOUR!
The twin to this Painting is owned by the French Government, and has the most conspicuous place in the Gallery of the Louvre.
A SERIES OF ORIGINAL DRAWINGS,
(Twenty in Number,)
—OF THE—
BATTLES OF NAPOLEON, BY AN OFFICER OF THE OLD GUARD!
The great interest that attaches to them is enhanced by the extraordinary merit of the Pictures. They were visited by crowds in Paris, and $5,000 has since been offered for their re-purchase. (AN INGOT OF GOLD for this amount will be placed beside them, ready for the person to whom they may fall. This sum, in itself is a handsome little fortune, and will be immediately delivered, should he desire the exchange.
For the purpose of disposing of this Magnificent Collection of Valuable and Beautiful Goods from Europe, an
"ART UNION"
Has been formed, on the plan of similar Associations in London and Paris. The intent is to give to all an opportunity to secure for their Homes, at a trifling cost, something pertaining to the artistic and beautiful; that the Cottage of the Artisan and the Dwelling of the Millionaire may alike boast that which money cannot replace and which the man of taste in every walk of life may appreciate.
The whole will be divided in Shares, placed by general wish as low as
ONE DOLLAR EACH!
Giving to the holder an INTEREST, by PURCHASE, in the ENTIRE COLLECTION, and constituting a MEMBERSHIP with all the privileges annexed thereto, and the right to decide on the Mode of distribution. WHEN THE SALE IS COMPLETED BY THE DISPOSAL OF ALL THE SHARES, the Property will await the order of the Shareholders, through the fair and impartial decision of a Committee chosen by themselves. The Number of Shares will be in the proportion of Sixteen to each Article in the Catalogue.
The satisfaction heretofore rendered by our house in all its transactions—its long-standing and reputation are guarantees of the faithful discharge of the trust; and prompt delivery of every article specified. The same course that has gained us this position will be strictly adhered to, that no dissatisfaction can possibly occur.
Certificates of Shares
☞ ARE NOW READY AT ☜
ONE DOLLAR EACH!
☞ Prizes will be forwarded in good order, by Express, to all parts of the Mines.
San Francisco, June 26, 1854. jy21-tf

"Old Virginia never Tire."
Neither does New England.
The Pioneer Steam Saw Mill,
ON SHERLOCK'S CREEK,
STILL CONTINUES TO RATTLE OUT THE BEST QUALITY
LUMBER,
Of every description, from the shortest to the longest and widest, and the three six mule teams, are always on hand to deliver Lumber to any part of the County, where a wagon can run, at the shortest possible notice. D. WHITE & CO.,
jy 21-v By G. GREEN, Agent.

San Francisco Advertisements.

C. A. McNULTY,
Importer and Dealer in Hardware, Miners' Tools, Agricultural Implements, &c.,
No. 82 Battery street, San Francisco.
HAS in store, a large and general assortment, comprising in part—
STEAM ENGINES, BOILERS, SAW-MILL IRONS, PLOWS.
HARDWARE—
O. Ames' long and short handled Shovels;
P. and R. do do do do;
King's do do do do;
Spades, Hoes, Axes, Picks;
Tacks, assorted sizes, Plumb Levels;
Bellows, vices, anvils, and irons;
Bench planes, augers, gimblets;
Squares, rules, saw-setts, trays;
Circular, mill, cross-cut, pit and hand saws;
Chisels, drawing knives, adzes;
Stocks and dies, auger bitts, trowels;
Cutlery, locks, bolts, screws, butts;
Hatchets, hammers, Mexican spurs;
Files, a full assortment;
Lead pipe, zinc, block tin, grindstones;
Sheet iron, cut and wrought nails,
Colt's revolvers, powder flasks, percussion caps;
Coffee mills, letter presses, scales;
Hollow-ware, wagon boxes;
Carpenters' Coopers', Blacksmiths' Tools, &c., &c.
BRITANNIA WARE—
Candlesticks, soup ladles, pitchers;
Coffee pots, castors, molasses cups;
Cigar lighters, spittoons, fluid lamps;
Dishes, stands and water pans;
Table and tea spoons, tea sets complete;
Chafing dishes, oblong tureens, &c., &c.
WOODEN WARE—
Tubs, pails, washboards, churns;
Cider and well buckets, trays;
Axe, pick, sledge, adze and hammer handles;
Knife boxes, beef mauls, rolling pins;
Wooden bowls, brushes, mops;
Oval trays, butter stamps, dippers;
Lemon squeezers, bench screws;
Seives, Manila cordage, &c., &c.
City and country dealers will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock and prices.
For sale by C. A. McNULTY,
j19-tf 82 Battery street.

E. BRIGGS,
CIGAR AND TOBACCO BROKER, AND COMMISSION Buyer, 101 Clay street, between Sansome and Battery San Francisco.
—REFERS TO—
Messrs. Case, Heiser & Co., Turnbull & Walton, Quereau & Johnson, Annan, Talmage & Co. ap14-1m

JAMES B. TOWNSEND,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.
HAS removed his office to 47 (third story,) Montgomery Block, (Halleck, Peachy & Billing's New Building,) corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets. j27-tf

H. Carrison,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN *FURNITURE AND BEDDING.*
No. 148 Sacramento street, cor. of Webb, San Francisco.
H. C. will pay strict attention to Furnishing Steamships, River Boats and Hotels. m10-3m

J. B. WIER,
IMPORTER AND DEALER,
IN
BUTTER, CHEESE, LARD, HAMS, PORK, &c., &c.,
48 Front street, near California, San Francisco.
feb3-tf

G. M. HUTTON,
ALTA FOUNDRY,
Market street, facing Battery street, San Francisco.
SASH, Mulay and Circular Saw Mill and Grist Mill Irons, Horse Powers, Threshing Machines, Quartz Crushing and Mining Machinery, Iron and Brass Castings of every description, and Machine work in general, promptly executed at the lowest current rates. feb10-tf

DISEASES
OF THE
EYES AND RHEUMATISM.
DR. DILL, (from St. Louis, Mo., M. D., member of the Parisian and German Medical Societies,) having visited the principal Schools and Hospitals of Europe, expressly to study under the most celebrated Oculists on the continent, as Sichel of Paris, Juengken of Berlin, and others, that most difficult and delicate branch of our profession—
DISEASES OF THE EYE—
takes pleasure in informing the public that he has permanently located himself at San Francisco, where he will treat any case that may present itself; and patients need no longer go to the States to be treated for bad cases.
DR. DILL speaks English, German, French, Spanish, &c.
Office—corner of Davis and Jackson streets.
Letters addressed "P. R. DILL, M. D., San Francisco," promptly answered.
DR. DILL cures the worst cases of Rheumatism by the new treatment, in two weeks or makes no charge.
☞ The poor attended gratis. feb17-6m

PATCH & CLAYTON,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND GENERAL AGENTS,
(92 *Front street, in Gordon's Iron Block*)
FAITHFUL attention given to sales of California Produce, and orders for merchandise promptly filled at lowest market rates.
WM. Y. PATCH. [j27-tf] CHARLES CLAYTON.

J. D. HUNT & CO.,
CORNER CLAY AND BATTERY STREETS,
OFFER for sale Eagle Plows of the best make, and every variety;
Steel Plows of Illinois patterns;
Geddie's Harrows, Cultivators, Wheat Drills, of most approved make,
Ox Yokes and Bows, Whiffletrees;
Thermometer and Rotary Churns;
Agricultural Furnaces, Cauldon Kettles, all sizes;
Galvanized Fence Wire. j29-tf

QUARTZ SPECIMENS POLISHED!
Seals, Rings, Covers, Heads, Snuff Box Cane &c.,
CUT AND SET, BY
BARRETT & SHERWOOD,
Montgomery street, 1 door from Commercial
THE only Lapidary Machinery in California, and the best workmen on the Pacific coast, are now employed in our establishment.
☞ Don't mistake the number—1... j27-tf

RAILRAOD BAKERY
AND COFFEE AND TEA ROOMS;
48 Long Wharf, between Battery and Front sts., San Francisco.
THE attention of our friends and others in Mariposa, is respectfully directed to the following:
It is a well known fact that the most cleanly and desirable way of cooking is BY STEAM, to whatever article it can be applied. Therefore, the proprietors of this establishment have just erected a
Steam Engine and Steam Apparatus,
whereby most of their arteles are manufactured and kept fresh and ALWAYS HOT. By the use of steam they prepare their Coffee, Tea, and Chocolate as required, which make them far superior in quality to any other like establishment in the city.
BREAKFAST ROLLS
Always hot and fresh till 12 M, and Tea Biscuit from 12 M, to 11 P M. Puddings, rice, hominy hot from 12 M, to 7 P M.
BUCKWHEAT CAKES,
Made from flour manufactured in this city, from fresh California Buckwheat. Hot English Muffins at all hours.
The Pastry at the R R Bakery is universally admitted to far surpass any in the city, constituting every variety of fresh Fruit, Pies, etc.
When you visit our city give us a call—you will be well pleased.
HALEY & THOMPSON,
j19tf Proprietors.

J. H. COGHILL & CO.,
HAVE Removed to the New and commodious Brick Store,
137 *Front street, one door north of Jackson, San Francisco,*
where they offer at the lowest market rates, their large and fresh stock of
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
feb3-1m

THOMAS LAMBERT. CHARLES POTTER.
THOMAS LAMBERT & CO.,
General Commission Merchants,
Washington street, between Battery and Sansome, San Francisco.
ALWAYS on hand a full assortment of
HARDWARE, GLASS WARE;
PROVISIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES,
and GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
selected expressly for the California market, on the most reasonable terms. feb3-tf

GOODMAN BROS.,
Wholesale Grocers and General Commission Merchants,
5.. .. ..0 Front street, San Francisco.

San Francisco Advertisements.

BY HENRY S. FITCH & CO.,
REAL ESTATE AUCTIONEERS
AND
LAND AGENTS.
HENRY S. FITCH..............................AUCTIONEER.
Howard's Building, No 137 Montgomery street, between Clay and Commercial streets, San Francisco.
HENRY S. FITCH respectfully announces to the public, that he has associated with him in business MR. A. MARIUS CHAPELLE and MR. LEOPOLD LOWENBERG—both gentlemen of experience in Real Estate sales.
By this association, we are enabled to transact business in the *English, French, German, Spanish and Italian* languages; and we have determined, at all public sales of importance to *present* the property and the bids made therefor in the languages named.
Sales of
Real Estate, Vessels, State Bonds, City Scrip Mining Stock, &c., &c.,
made for Administrators, Assignees, Receivers, Mortgagees, and others, carefully complying with the forms of law.
Persons desirous of having their property sold at private or public sales, will please hand in description of the same, to be entered on the register at their office.
HENRY S. FITCH,
A. MARIUS CHAPELLE,
feb10-tf LEOPOLD LOWENBERG.

WM. B. COOKE. G. L. KENNY. GEO. STURTEVANT.
WHOLESALE BOOK STORE,
AND
STATIONERS' HALL.
COOKE, KENNY & CO.,
Corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets, San Francisco.
Importers of English, French and American Fancy and Staple
STATIONERY.
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
LAW, MEDICAL, MISCELLANEOUS, SCHOOL AND BLANK BOOKS.
Agents and Dealers in MAGAZINES and REVIEWS.
☞ BLANK BOOKS made to order on the shortest notice. feb10-tf

NOTICE TO THE MILLION!!!
GEO. H. JOHNSON'S
First Premium Pioneer Daguerrean Gallery, San Francisco,
THE frequent liability under which the public now rest, of being deceived while in search of the
ORIGINAL JOHNSON'S GALLERY,
so favorably and extensively known as being the FIRST PREMIUM GALLERY on the Pacific, as well as for the
SUPERIORITY OF LIKENESSES AND PICTURES,
both as to fidelity and tone of artistic finish, has induced the subscriber to give the public a
WARNING AGAINST IMPOSITION!
His establishment is at the Corner of Montgomery and Clay streets, directly opposite Wells' building. Remember it is the
CORNER BUILDING, OVER THE DRUG STORE.
Be careful to observe the name of G. H. Johnson, he having no connection with the Johnson, next door to his establishment.
STEROSCOPIC PICTURES,
the greatest wonder of the age, taken with all the latest improvements in the art; being enabled by new and extensive additions to apparatus, to surpass any other artist in this city.
SINGLE, OR FAMILY GROUP PICTURES,
taken in the first style of the art, and put up in any variety of case, or in lockets, breast pins, rings, bracelets, watches, canes, pencils, caskets, christalocopes, or any other known style.
NO CHARGE FOR PICTURES,
if they do not give the most unlimited satisfaction. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens of Pictures in my Gallery. A liberal share of public patronage is solicited.
Perfect satisfaction will be guaranteed.
feb10-tf GEO. H. JOHNSON.

SOMETHING NEW
AT THE
Cochituate Baths!
57 *Sansome street, between California and Pine, San Francisco.*
THE ROYAL TURKISH LINEN BATHING TOWELS,
Just received.
NOW IN USE AT THE COCHITUATE BATHS!
The only house in the State where this healthy and agreeable luxury can be enjoyed.
THIS is the best article ever invented for bathing purposes, and received a premium at the World's Fair. Their superiority over every description of Towel, consists in their great sharpness, combined with flexibility and absorption, and are highly approved and recommended by the faculty as the most beneficial and invigorating article now in use.
Single Baths only..............................$0.75
Or ten tickets for..............................5.00
Separate appartments for ladies.
MASON & McCOMBE,
feb3-tf Proprietors.

NORCROSS'
MILITARY REGALIA,
Flag, Banner, and Ladies Dress Trimming
EMPORIUM.
SAN FRANCISCO.
MASONIC, ODD FELLOWS', CHAPTER, ENCAMPMENT, and other REGALIA embroidered and made to order in a style that cannot be surpassed by any house in the Atlantic States. Full sets for Lodges and private members constantly on hand. Jewels for Templars, Chapters, Blue Lodges, Odd Fellows' and Encampments.
MILITARY GOODS,
of every description imported, together with all kinds of Gold and Silver Embroidery done for Army and Navy Officers.
FLAGS, BANNERS, SIGNALS, BURGEES, &c., &c., made at short notice, and on reasonable terms. Designs of all sizes constantly on hand.
LADIES' DRESS AND OTHER TRIMMINGS,
in great variety. Gold and Silver Fringes, Laces, Gimps, Stars, Tassels, Rosettes, Theatrical Trimmings, &c., &c.
D. NORCROSS,
feb10-tf 148 Sacramento, above Montgomery.

FURNITURE,
At SEYMOUR & CO'S, No. 190 Washington street, San Francisco.
Sofas, Sofa Beds;
Bedsteads;
French Mahogany Bedsteads;
Gothic do do;
Elizabethian Bedsteads;
Washstands;
Marble Top Washstands;
Veneered do;
Painted do double and single;
Standing and Sitting Desks;
Sets painted Chamber Furniture;
Chairs in great variety. j19-tf

FRANK BAKER,
Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Upholstery Goods and Paper Hangings,
135 and 137 Clay street, San Francisco,
HAS constantly on hand a large assortment of velvet tapestry, brussels, three-ply, ingrain and Venitian Carpets, druggets, matting, table and floor oil cloths, rugs, mats, etc, etc.
Also—Satins, silks, worsted, cotton, damask, lace and muslin curtains. Also, window shades of every description; gimps, cords, fringes, silk and worsted tassels, loops, gilt cornices and poles, curtain bands and pins, table covers, plush, etc.
Orders from a distance promptly attended to.
FRANK BAKER,
j19 135 and 137 Clay street.

W. T. GARRATT & CO.,
BRASS AND BELL FOUNDERS,
Halleck Street, near the American Theatre.
MANUFACTURERS of all kinds of copper work, brass, zinc, steamboat, tavern and hand BELLS and Gongs, fire engines, force and lift pumps, steam, liquor, soda, oil and water cocks, and valves of all descriptions, made and repaired; hose and other joints, spelter, copper rivets, &c; gas pipes and fixtures always on hand. j21-tf

150,000 Worth of Furniture,
BRYANT & KINGS
EMPIRE FURNITURE WAREROOMS,
180 *Jackson street, San Francisco.*
AT very low prices for cash, just received and now opened at the wholesale and retail trade, making by far the largest stock ever offered on the Pacific coast, and comprising every variety of rosewood, mahogany, walnut and other kinds of parlor, chamber and office Furniture, together with all kinds of Beds and Bedding.
The attention of dealers in particular is called, as well as all who are furnishing hotels, dwellings or offices, as every article we advertise we positively have on hand, making a selection, we flatter our ourselves, that will meet the wants of all.
N. B.—30 complete unbroken invoices Call and see us before purchasing elsewhere. j19

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

From the Garden City.

GOOD-BYE.

BY LILY LINDENWOOD.

"Good-bye!" laughs the brook, "I must hasten along,
By woodland and hill side and lea—
Away with my waters of brightness and song,
There are no idle moments for me!
The tree-roots are thirsting along by my brink;
The meadows are sun-parched and dry!
The flowers are waiting—and what will they think?
So away with my singing—Good-bye!"

"Good-bye!" say the stars, as they sink themselves out,
"For lo! o'er the verge of the sky,
Miss gray-hooded Dawn, to see what we're about,
So saucily peeps, on the sly!
Madam Moon, too, by this time, is sitting in state,
O'er the China-land gardens so fair,
And sure its a shame her courtiers are late—
Good-bye! They'll be wanting us there!"

"Good-bye!" trill the birds when the autumn winds blow,
And the woodlands are chilly and sere,
And away to the fair sunny South-land they go,
Where the warm skies are cloudless and clear.
How swiftly they circle and pass from our sight,
As we watch them from parlor and hall;
Away they go—blackbirds and orioles bright,
Jays, robins, blue-birds and all!

"Good-bye!" cries the school-boy, when term-time i o'er,
And the last recitations are done—
"Good-bye, ho!" he shouts, as he leaps from the door,
"And hurrah now for frolic and fun!
There are grapes on the vine, boys, and trout in the stream,
And squirrels and nuts on the tree—
There are boats on the lake, where the blue waters gleam,
And huzza, boys, huzza!—WE ARE FREE!

"Good-bye!" says the Teacher, and weary and worn
With the cares of the term that is past,
Oh! why, tell me why, does the sad teacher mourn,
That to-day with its toils is the last?
"Good-bye," sobs the teacher, "God grant you bright years!"
And she mournfully looks on her band—
Now no more are they hers, and how fast fall her tears,
As each loved one she takes by the hand!

Thus all are departing—the streams as they glide;
The stars of Night's beautiful sky;
The birds and the seasons, and all things besides—
Ever singing and sobbing "Good-bye!"
The years of our childhood and youth hurry fast,
With the friends and the scenes we hold dear,
And soon—ere the prime of our life-time seems past,
Lo! the Valley of Darkness is near!

A joy-thrill—electric—a smile and a tear—
A shout—then a quivering groan,
And we've helplessly ended our pilgrimage here—
Gone down to the "Valley" alone!
But when, on the Death-river's shadowy shore,
We shall wearily murmur "Farewell!"
May our newly freed spirits be safe wafted o'er
To the hills where the Justified dwell!

Mariposa HOTEL.

THE undersigned having thoroughly refitted and improved his establishment in the town of Mariposa, solicits the patronage of the public at all times, and in any numbers.

His table will be well supplied with all creature comforts, and his bar with good Liquors and Cigars.

An excellent Stable is attached to the premises, where animals will be well provided for.

This House, for coolness and comfort, cannot be surpassed in the mines.

Prices moderate.

ag4-tf WILLIAM NICHOLS.

CAPT. W. H. FOLGER. KENNETH McLEA.

Folger & McLea,

SHIP CHANDLERY,
SHIP AND STEAMER STORES,
Corner of Front and Pacific streets,
SAN FRANCISCO.

FOLGER & McLEA,

FOURNISSEUS de Provisions pour Navires, Batteaux a Vapeurs et autres, au Coin des Rues Front et Pacifique, San Francisco. ag 4-3m

Stockton Advertisements.

Rosenbaum & Joachimssen
DEALERS IN
BOOKS AND STATIONERY,
Centre Street, Stockton.

Prices Reduced!

NEW ARRANGEMENT.
MEALS SERVED AT THE
Union Restaurant,
STOCKTON,

For 50 cts. Each!

AT ANY HOUR OF THE DAY OR NIGHT. LODGINGS, 50 cents. The TABLE will be supplied with the best in the country. The "UNION" is on Eldorado street, between Main and Levee.

GEO. H. ROGERS, Proprietor.
Stockton, June 4th, 1854. ju 9-6t12w

Magnolia House,

CHANNEL STREET, STOCKTON.
J. C. MORRIS, PROPRIETOR.

THE Proprietor of this popular Hotel takes pleasure in announcing to his former patrons and the public generally, that having completed the entire re-modeling of his establishment—one of the most complete and extensive Hotels in California—he is now prepared for the reception of the public. No expense has been spared in re-fitting and furnishing every department with all the modern improvements that would add comfort and luxury in making it truly a model Hotel.

The proprietor would take pleasure in greeting his old friends and patrons at his new establishment, assuring them that every attention they may have received at his hands heretofore, will be renewed on the occasion.

TERMS—Of Board, Lodging, &c., on the same liberal scale as before. j27-tf

T. ROBINSON BOURS. B. WALKER BOURS

T. ROBINSON BOURS & CO.,

REAL ESTATE AGENTS AND BANKERS,
Fire-Proof Building, Centre street, Stockton
AGENTS OF BURGOYNE & CO., SAN FRANCISCO.

EXCHANGE for sale for every steamer, at San Francisco rates, on

Baring, Brothers & Co.	London.
Hottinguer & Co.	Paris.
Beebee & Co.	New York.
John E. Thayer & Co.	Boston.
L. A. Benoist & Co.	St. Louis.
Exchange Bank of Horace Bean & Co.	N. Orleans.

—ALSO—

Sight drafts on	
Burgoyne & Co.	San Francisco.
Yaney & Bertine	Sonora.
Read & Co.	Sacramento.
Geo. W. Plume & Co.	Marysville.

Gold Dust and Coin received on general or special deposite.

Highest price paid for Gold Dust. j27-tf

WEBER HOUSE,

Corner of Main and Centre streets, Stockton.
UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF W. W. WARNER.

THE Proprietors of this new and spacious Hotel, have the pleasure in announcing to the public that they are now prepared to accommodate all who may favor them with their patronage.

The Weber House is the largest Hotel in Stockton, and being situated in the most pleasant and healthy portion of the city, as well as the centre of business, offers inducements to the resident or traveller seeking a home, that can be found in no other establishment in the Southern Mines.

The several apartments attached to this house, are furnished in a style unsurpassed by any establishment of the kind in the country.

The Table will be supplied with every variety of the season, and all the substantials the market affords, and the Bar with the choicest Wines and Liquors. In short, the Proprietors beg leave to assure the public that no effort shall be wanting on their part to make the Weber House in every respect the most comfortable house in Stockton, and fully adequate in all things to the wants of their patrons. 7-tf

Mariposa Advertisements.

ALFRED F. WASHBURN,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 3,
Office in Mariposa.

ALISON & HARRIS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office on Main street, Mariposa.

RICHARD H. DALY,
ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
Mariposa. j19-tf

SAM'L. A. MERRITT,
Attorney at Law, and Notary Public under the Law of 1853.
Office, on Main, between Fourth and Fifth streets, Mariposa. j19-1y

E. BURKE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
Office on Main street, Mariposa.

O. M. DICKINSON,
COUNTY SURVEYOR:
Office, on Main street, Mariposa.

GUNSMITHING.

RIFLES, FOWLING PIECES, AND COLT'S PISTOLS,
Will be repaired by the undersigned in a neat and substantial manner, upon short notice.

Shop situated on Charles, between 4th and 5th streets, Mariposa.

j19-1y J. N. THOMAS.

New

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS,

AT

A. BLUMENTHAL'S

General Clothing and Dry Goods Store,
OPPOSITE THE SOUTHERN HOTEL, MARIPOSA,

HAVING just returned from San Francisco with a large and splendid assortment of

GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

I would respectfully invite the citizens of Mariposa county to call and supply themselves with the

LATEST STYLES AND THE BEST QUALITIES

of articles ever offered for sale in this part of the country. a28-tf

Zinc Store.

HUGH DIMOND, of New York. PATRICK HUSSY, of Texas. CHAS. F. M'DERMOTT, Cincinnati.

DIMOND & CO.,

WHOLESALE and retail dealers in every variety of Goods suitable for the mining region.

Miners and others will please give us a call and examine our goods themselves before purchasing elsewhere, as we will sell at the lowest market prices. my5-tf

A. W. Jee's

STORE,

Morman Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.

THE Subscriber has constantly on hand a well selected supply of

GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS,
AND MINING TOOLS.

Also all other descriptions of GOODS adapted for the Miner, all of the best quality—for sale at the lowest prices, and would most respectfully ask a continuance of his friend's favors, and solicits a call from the public.

ARTHUR W. JEE.
Morman Bar, Mariposa. ap21-6m

New Hotel.

Main Street, Mariposa.

REYNOLDS & NEWCOMB Proprietors.

HAVING LEASED THE HOTEL FORMERLY KEPT BY WILLIAM PHILLIPS, in the Town of Mariposa, and having made extensive additions and improvements in the same, are now ready to entertain the public with the

BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS,

And hope by a strict attention to the wants and comfort of travelers, and others who may favor us with a call, to receive a fair share of patronage.

S. S. REYNOLDS,
June 9-tf C. J. NEWCOMB.

POST OFFICE HOTEL,
AND
PROVISION DEPOT,
Mt. Ophir.
JOSEPH MILLER & CO., Proprietors.

THE public are informed that this establishment has accommodations and conveniences for guests unsurpassed by any house in the county. The best the market affords will always be furnished for the table in abundance.

As regards the sleeping arrangements, every effort will be made to insure invariable satisfaction.

At the store can at all times be found a complete assortment of

MINERS' IMPLEMENTS,
DRY GOODS, &c.
Together with all description of
MEAT PROVISIONS
of the best quality.

feb10-tf JOS. MILLER & CO.

FRANKLIN HOUSE,

STILL IN THE ASCENDENCY!!

THE UNDERSIGNED takes pleasure in announcing to his old friends and the public generally, that he has re-leased the above well known House, for the purpose of keeping a

HOTEL

AND

BOARDING HOUSE,

where strangers will find all the comforts of a First Class Hotel.

THE TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords.

Meals, Oyster Stews, &c.,

can be obtained at all hours.

Neatness and quietness will at all times be preserved.

Boarding by the week on the most reasonable terms.

Private rooms neatly fitted and furnished.

THE BAR

will be supplied with the choisest Liquors of all kinds, and the best Cigars.

FRANK WILLIAMS.

Attached to the above Hotel is an excellent STABLE, where animals will be fed on the best of hay and grain, and will be cleaned and brought up at the shortest notice. Saddle horses to let. m24-tf

DEAN & O'DONNELL,
CHRONICLE BUILDING,
Main Street, Mariposa.

THE undersigned have opened, in the Store formerly occupied by Messrs. McNAMARA & CRIPPEN, with a large and well selected assortment of

GOODS,

Which we will sell at the lowest prices for CASH.

☞ Miners and others purchasing, will do well to give us a call. DEAN & O'DONNELL.

Notice.

HAVING closed up our business, and disposed of our house and stand to Messrs. DEAN & O'DONNELL, we cordially recommend them to our former customers, as also to the public generally. Mr. CRIPPEN will still remain at the *old* stand to close up the *old* business.

J. F. McNAMARA,
ap14-tf JOSH. CRIPPEN.

Coultersville Advertisements.

Stage Line

FROM SONORA TO COULTERVILLE;

F. B. CLARK & CO., Proprietors.

A STAGE LINE WILL RUN BETWEEN THE ABOVE places twice a week, leaving Sonora on MONDAYS and THURSDAYS, at 2 P. M., and Coulterville on Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 1 P. M.

The Stage will connect with the Stockton Stage, at the nearest point, so that passengers can go from Coulterville to Stockton, and *vice versa* in about 10 hours traveling time. Agents at Coulterville.

ju 23-tf STAIR & BALDRIDGE.

Coulter Hotel,

In Coultersville.

THE undersigned begs leave to inform the citizens of Mariposa county, and the public generally, that he has rented the above well known Establishment from Mr. G. W. Coulter, and hopes that the liberal patronage heretofore extended to the House may be continued.

The TABLE will be furnished, at all times, with the best the market can afford, and there will be no pains spared in catering to the appetites of his customers.

JOHN M. SINGER.
Coultersville, March 1854. m24-tf

ALEX. STAIR. JAMES H. BALDRIDGE.

STAIR & BALDRIGE

THE undersigned hereby inform the citizens of Coulterville, and vicinity, that they have purchased the Old, Favorite and well known establishment of

G. W. COULTER,

at the above place, and will always keep on hand a large and well selected stock of

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS AND LIQUORS,

besides all other descriptions of Goods suitable for the mines.

With a full and earnest endeavor to please *all*, both in quality and price, they respectfully solicit a call from their friends and the public generally.

Coulterville, Jan. 27th, 1854.

ALEX. STAIR,
feb3-tf JAS. H. BALDRIGE.

WALLACE'S
GARDEN RANCH,
AND
GENERAL PROVISION STORE,
MT. OPHIR.

THE public of Mt. Ophir and surrounding district are informed that this establishment is now supplied with one of the largest and best assorted stocks of Goods in the line, that can be found in the County, all or any portion of which will be sold as low as the lowest.

In the Boarding and Lodging department, every attention will be shown to patrons.

Regular boarders and sojourners will always find a well furnished table, and good clean beds.

feb10-tf HENRY WALLACE.

Ferry House,

SPLIT ROCK, ON THE MERCED.

THIS WELL KNOWN STAND is located on the MERCED RIVER, on the Mail Route from Sonora to Mariposa, 18 miles from Mariposa, 7 from Bear Valley, 5½ from Coultersville, and 30 miles from Sonora.

Travelers, and others, can at all times be furnished with Meals, Lodging and Horse Feed.

Not having a market, we do not undertake to furnish the *"Best the Market affords,"* nor do we always keep *"The Purest Liquors,"* or *"The Finest Brands of Cigars,"* but will endeavor to please our customers in prices, quality and variety.

N. B.—Always on hand an assortment of

ALL KINDS OF GOODS,

Suitable to the wants of Miners, which will be sold as *CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST.*

ju30-tf N. JOHNSON.

The Merced

HOTEL

IS now ready for the reception of visitors, and we respectfully request the public generally to give us a call and examine for themselves.

OUR TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords—vegetables of all kinds in abundance, and fresh at the door, from our Garden.

OUR BAR

is supplied with the very best Liquors and Cigars to be found in the San Francisco market.

OUR BEDS

will be found clean and comfortable.

The Merced Hotel is one of the most pleasant locations between Mariposa and Stockton. Passengers by the Stage will be accommodated with an express wagon to convey them to the Depot, and every effort will be made to render the sojourn of travelers and others both pleasant and agreeable.

my26-6m O. SCHREDER & CO.

Mariposa Bath House
AND
SHAVING SALOON!

Opposite the Franklin House, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, grateful for past patronage, would respectfully invite the inhabitants of Mariposa and vicinity, and also travelers and sojourners in this region, who may feel an inclination to take either a warm or cold bath, and get shaven, shorn, and shampooed, or either one of them, to give him a call.

j19-1y PHOENIX LANSING.

EL DORADO HOTEL
AND

Billiard Saloon,

On Charles, between 3d and 4th streets, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, proprietor of the above named Hotel, have recently re-furnished their sleeping apartments in a costly and splendid style, for the accommodation of the public, and as heretofore, will hold themselves in readiness to wait upon all who may favor them with a call.

The Billiard Saloon contains one of Winain's best Tables; and the choisest Liquors and best Cigars will be kept constantly on hand.

For beds inquire at the bar.

Connected with the above establishment is a splendid Restaurant, where meals of every description can be obtained at all hours.

ju2-1y GREEN B. ABEL.

United States' Restaurant
AND

Billiard Saloon.

MONS. AUGUSTE THIEFFRY, Proprietor of the above named RESTAURANT, has recently re-furnished his house in a costly and splendid style, for the accommodation of the Public, and as heretofore, will be ready to wait upon all who may favor him with a call.

Board per week $9 00, without wine.
" " " $12 00, with wine. ap21-tf

"Let Her Rip!"

LUMBER

$20

Per 1,000 Feet!

AT THE

BEAR CREEK STEAM MILL,

Four and one-half miles from Mariposa, and a good Road.

100,000 Feet

On hand, which is

WELL SEASONED!!

Roll in your bills boys. We say in the language of the immortal Shakspeare—

"LET HER RIP!"

Mariposa, May 23, 1854.

my26-tf CLARK, LAMON & CO.

Mariposa Advertisements.

C. D. O'SULLIVAN. WM. F. CASHMAN

SULLIVAN & CASHMAN,

Main Street, Mariposa,

FEELING grateful for the patronage they have received, now inform their friends and the public generally, that they have recently made arrangements in the

Atlantic States,

to receive their Goods direct from

New York and Boston.

They have also erected a large and commodious Warehouse adjacent to their present Store, where will be found the largest assortment of Goods ever before in Mariposa.

Wholesale Buyers

are particularly invited to give us a call, and examine our Goods, as we are determined to sell as low as can be had from

Stockton and San Francisco.

The same advantages are to be had at our Store at

Coultersville,

On Maxwell's Creek.

ml7-tf

N. Cohn & Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers,

KEEP constantly on hand a full assortment of the following articles:

Genuine Havana Cigars, various brands,
do American do do do;
Chewing, Fine Cut and Smoking Tocacco;
Hardware, Carpenters' Tools,
Window Glass, White Lead, Oil, Putty, Brushes;
Books, Stationery, &c.;
Cutlery, Clocks, Colt's Pistols, &c.;
Saddlery, Lamp Oil and Candles;
Wall, Foolscap, Letter and Fancy Paper;
American, Mexican and Barcelona Cards;
Looking Glasses, Violins, Flutes, Garden Seeds.

—ALSO—

An endless variety of Fancy Goods, Perfumery, etc., etc. In fact, every thing usually found in a variety store.

GRIESMAN & CO.,
58 Sacramento street, San Francisco.
N. COHN & CO.,
ju 30-7m Main street, Mariposa.

D. Turner & Co.,

HAVING bought the stock and stand of HOLMES & CO.,

Offer for sale at the aforesaid place, a large stock of most descriptions of

Goods,

suitable to the wants of the community.

CASH!

will be an important consideration in every sale, for which we will sell as low as the lowest.

Mariposa, May 17, 1854.

my19-tf D. TURNER & CO.

Dr. Grandvoinet,

PHYSICIAN, SURGEON,
AND
ACCOUCHER,

OFFERS his services to the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity.

He keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of

Drugs and Medicines, Surgical Instruments, Syringes and Glyster Pipes, Patent Medicines, Syrups, Oils, Fancy Goods, Perfumery, Cigars, Etc., Etc,

which he will sell at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Doctors Thos. Payne & W. W. Ward

HAVE associated themselves in the practice of their Profession. Office, on Main street, where one or both may be found at all hours.

Mariposa, April 18th, 1854. ap21-y6*

Attention!!

I. KRAFT informs his old customers, and the public in general, that he has taken the well known stand of

POSNER & CO.,
On Main street, opposite the Franklin Boarding House,

and having received a Fresh supply of

FINE SUMMER AND OTHER CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, LADIES' GOODS, &c.,

is now ready and willing to wait on all who may favor him with a call, and supply them with the best articles at prices to suit the times.

As Cheap as the Cheapest, and as Good as the Best!

Mariposa, June 2, 1854.

ju2-tf I. KRAFT.

EL DORADO
RESTAURANT,
AND
COFFEE SALOON,
On Charles, between 3rd and 4th streets.

The proprietors, grateful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to them, would respectfully say to persons wishing a single meal, or board by the week, that they cannot do better than to give them a call, and try some of their

Hot Coffee;
Hot Tea;
Hot Chocolate;
Hot Biscuit;
Beef Steak;
Pork Steak;
Mutton;
Venison Steak and Apple Sauce;
Fried Ham and Eggs.

Soups and Stews of all descriptions, and all kinds of Game constanly on hand.

All kinds of Cakes made on the shortest possible notice.

For the benefit of the public they will keep their house open until one o'clock in the morning.

Board per week $12; Single Meals $1; Extras charged for accordingly. Payment to be invariably in advance.

j19-tf AUGUSTE PUJOL

New Drug Store

IN

Mariposa.

A. D. BOYCE, *Agent.*

HAS constantly on hand a full and fresh supply of

Foreign and Domestic Drugs;
French, English and American Chemicals;
Perfumery and Family Medicines;
Shakers' Herbs and Extracts;
Thompsonian Medicines;

and in fact all things usually to be found in a well stocked establishment.

Physicians can rely upon having their prescriptions carefully prepared at this place. ju9-tf

WILLIAM NICHOLS,
The Oldest Butcher in Mariposa,

☞ Familiarly known as "BLOODY NICK," continues to keep canstantly on hand, at his old stand on Main street, the best

AMERICAN BEEF AND PORK

the country affords, cheap for cash. He feels confident that in his branch of business he can't be beat, consequently he defies all competition.

Credit is dead and buried. j19-tf

Miscellaneous.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT MARIPOSA, JULY 1st, 1854.

Anderson Samuel,
Ashcheim Mayer,
Alachrem James.

Brehmer Charles,
Butler John R.,
Blackley Truman R.,
Beeman S. S.,
Brignold George,
Barnum Hendrick,
Boyd David R.,
Bonan Joseph C.,
Brock R. H.

Chesold William W.,
Cromwell Oliver,
Chenail C. H.,
Cowin Thomas H.,
Colman James,
Chaesser C. J. & F.,
Clark Dr. James L.,
Chatfield Andrew—2

Deene Thomas S.,
Durrell William,

Elder James,

Farrelly Felix,
Freedlander Phillip,

Gwin Sam,
Gandalfo A. R.,
Gilson John S.

Hitt J.,
Hafford J. F.—3
Hawton Frederick—2
Hickin H. D.,
Hollums Joseph,
Hunt Etherege,

Jordon George R.—2

Keen Sanford H.,
Kalburn Joel L.,

Lane C. F.—2
Letcher William,

McDaniels Benjamin,
McClintick F. F.,
Montgomery Samuel,
Mehan B. F.,
Moore A.
Morrison John S.
Miller Jesse,
Myers Joseph,
Montague K.,
Morrey David,
Metcalf William F.

Neagle Peter B.—3
Naisom James,

O'Brine Cornelias W.,
O'Neal C. M.,

Perry James H.—2
Parker John,
Pool Ten'r,
Parker James R.,
Perkins Harden.

Quick Morgan W.

Rumbly M. M.—2
Ridgway James M.,
Redfield Henry,
Ritchy John B.,

Smith Heden,
Slinkard A. Y.,
Scales S. D.—2
Singer John M.,

Thompson Nils—2
Taylor W. B.

Varny George O.

Webb William W.,
Way T. H.—2
Wade James H.,
Williamson John W.,
Williams Frank,
Wagner C. O.—2

A
Ault John M.—2.
Applegate D. L.,

B
Berker Edwin R.,
Bean John O.,
Bennett Patrick,
Blossom Hiram A.,
Brownley Robert,
Burdin James,
Brasher Thomas R.,
Baily Jeremiah,

C
Coxey A. F.,
Cole Edward,
Casted William,
Candly Stephen,
Choesser Lafett,
Curts John H.,
Coy Isaac
Carson William P.

D
Devens John,
Pevenport John.

E

F
Hiat Hanible,

G
Geer Fred,
Gege Charles P.,

H
Hanscom Jesse W.,
Hewitt H. M.,
Heyzelton Nathaniel S.,
Hellum Joel L.,
Hodgson Thomas,
Healn A. M.

J
Jymes C.

K
Kiggin Henry M.,
Kazer William,

L
Lewis R. B.
Lufkins L. N.

M
McTarar John—3
McLane H. A.,
Marks Joseph,
Mathews S. W.,
Moore William F.,
Morls James,
Miller Agustus,
Moller W. D.,
Mallard Westly,
McCambridge John,

N
Norton H. B.,
Norris Richard.

O
O'Neil Richard,
Orr Mathews,

P
Price John,
Palmer Robert,
Peak Geo. W.,
Pearly Moses,

Q

R
Rhoneal J.,
Russell Ed.,
Ross James M.,
Reese Charles.

S
Sheerwood Alfonso E.,
Salaomoson Julius,
Sumner Edward B.,
Sternes William R.

T
Turner James,

V

W
Wright Alonzo,
Wallace William,
Wilcox W. F.,
Waner Frances,
Wellmen Manton,
Warley Samuel.

FOREIGN NAMES.

Bergent Mons. L.,
La Ta L. Selso,
Waunstrand Welhelm,
Castags Dominico,
Von Trzebeatowsky Maloth,
Mundyabal Pravincent.

☞ Persons calling for the above letters, will please say "Advertised."

JOHN F. McNAMARA, P. M.

Daguerreotypes.

THE undersigned having opened a DAGUERREAN ROOM

In Mariposa, next door to the Clerk's office,

would respectfully invite all who wish work neatly executed in the above Art, to give him a call.

He deems it unnecessary to say anything about his long experience and ability to take likenesses, presuming that all who want pictures, will call and see for themselves. Perfect satisfaction will be given or no charge.

jy 7-tf D. A. TLEKER.

SAWYER, JOHNSON & CO., Dealers in Paints, Oil, and Glass, have removed to Nos. 103 and 105 Front street, San Francisco. ju 9-3m

AGENCY FOR CLAIMS
AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT
OF THE

United States.

P. A. BRINSMADE,

HAS removed his office to Sherman's building, No. 146 Montgomery street, San Francisco, where he will continue the prosecution of Claims against the Federal Government, embracing

Claims of the officers and soldiers of Colonel Stevenson's Regiment of New York Volunteers for bounty lands, extra pay and transportation allowances.

Claims of the officers and men who composed the California Battalion of Volunteers, under Lieutenant Colonel John C. Fremont, for bounty lands, arrears of pay, and extra pay.

Claims of the officers, petty officers, seamen and marines, on account of additional compensation for services in the Naval and Revenue service of the United States in the Pacific Ocean, on the coasts of California and Mexico, from 13th of May, 1846, to 1st of March, 1853, provided for by Acts of Congress, approved August 31st, 1852, and March 3d, 1853.

—ALSO—

Claims for indemnity on account of losses occasioned by Indian depredations upon the property of the citizens of the State.

And Claims for advances made to United States Indian Agents, to enable them to negotiate or to execute treaties with the Indian tribes.

MR. BRINSMADE has secured the most reliable and efficient aid in Washington, and claimants may feel sure of the most prompt attention possible.

N. B. He will also give his best attention to Conveyancing in all its branches. feb6-tf

QUARTZ ROCK JEWELRY.
BARRETT & SHERWOOD

BEG leave to announce the arrival of a celebrated LAPIDARY ARTIST, engaged especially in the East for them. The machinery for this exquisite branch of their business is of the most improved and perfect description, being ordered for their establishment here, without any regard to cost.

They are now able to cut and test all kinds of precious stones and gems; no longer therefore, need the curious treasures of our soil and mines remain unregarded and undeveloped. Quartz rock mixed with gold, when cut and polished, makes the most beautiful and unique style of jewelry. Rings, Pins, Studs, Seals, Cane Heads, Coat Buttons, and a hundred different things, can now be manufactured from it, that for beauty of design and elegance of finish would be highly appreciated in the Eastern States, rendering them, above all other souvenirs, the most superior for home presents. Call and see them at

BARRETT & SHERWOOD'S
Montgomery street, one door from Commercial street, San Francisco.

N. B.—Quartz mixed with gold, suitable for cutting, purchased at from one to five hundred per cent., above the net gold value. feb10

BUTTER, LARD AND CHEESE.
At No. 81 Clay street, above Front,
SAN FRANCISCO.

400 FIRKINS new June Orange Co. BUTTER,
200 do do do Goshen do
150 do do do Delaware do
100 do do do Chakauque do
100 casks choice do do, in 22lb kitts;
2,000 lbs Butter in 10, 20 and 30 lbs kegs;
15,000 lbs Cheese in tins, best ever imported to this market;
150 cases refined Lard in Small tins;
100 tierces and bbls Leaf Lard.

Also, Ex-clipper ship "Eagle"—
65 firkins choice selected Butter for family use.

The above lot of BUTTER has been selected by myself in New York, and shipped by me expressly for my own trade, and will, I think, be found on examination superior to any offered in this market, and will be sold at the lowest market rates WILLIAM B. WIER.
m19-3m 81 Clay street above Front.

W. L. CHRYSLER & CO.,

PORK, Beef, and General Merchants, Fire Proof Store, corner of Front and Sacramento streets. 27-tf

San Francisco Advertisements.

A. T. M'CLURE

WOULD inform his friends and the public of Mariposa, that he is now located in his spacious Fire-Proof Building on Bush street, between Sansome and Montgomery, San Francisco, and has on hand one of the largest and best selected stocks of

DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERY, and FANCY ARTICLES,

that can be found in California. He will sell as low as the lowest, and his goods will invariably be found to be of the very best quality. Country dealers will do well to call and examine for themselves. j19-tf

REMOVAL

Dr. J. C. Young,

HAS removed his office from 226½ Dupont street to the corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite the Banking House of Page, Bacon & Co., where he will be happy to consult with his former patrons, and treat scientifically and with discretion, all those who may require the services of a physician. The success of Dr. Young since his advent in this State, has been without a parallel, and he hopes by continued and untiring application to his profession, to remove from the public mind that lack of confidence which has so unhappily existed in regard to the medical profession in the State of California.

P. S.—All letters enclosing $10 will receive immediate attention. Direct box 755, Post Office, San Francisco.

N. B.—All papers in the State will please insert as special notice the above, for one month, and send bill to J. C. Young, M. D. dec4-tf

DR. J. C. YOUNG,

OF SAN FRANCISCO.

READ AND REFLECT.

"If there is a hereafter,
(And that there is, conscience uninfluenced
And suffered to speak out, tells every man,)
Then it is an awful thing to die,
More horrid yet to die by one's own hand.
Self-murder—name it not!
Shall Nature, swerving from her earliest dictate,
Self preservation, fall by its own act?
Forbid it, Heaven."

THE indulgence in secret practices is the most certain, though not always the most immediate and direct avenue to destruction. Physicians of allages have been most unanimously of opinion that the loss of one ounce of the seminal secretions, by unnatural aid or emissions, weakens the system more than the abstraction of forty ounces of blood. One of the first writers on medical jurisprudence states that three-fourths of the insane owe their malady to such abuse.

How important, then, it is—for every one having the least cause to suspect any trouble in that way, should attend to it immediately; even one single occurrence should be sufficient to cause doubt, and much more so if the person had ever indulged in the soul-killing habit. The treatment pursued by the justly celebrated Dr. J. C. Young, in cases of seminal weakness, impotency, sterility, nervous debility, and paralysis, (the last is the most dangerous), and when it once occurs, is incurable) is surpassed by any physician in the country. It is the same as that followed by him for years, under the guidance of the world-renowned *Record* of Paris, and *Acton* of London. Dr. Young's office is corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite Page, Bacon & Co., San Francisco, California, where he can be consulted upon that and all other private diseases, with the utmost confidence and secresy. Dr. Young will warrant a perfect and permanent cure, or make no charge.

N. B.—Letters enclosing $10 will receive prompt attention. The doctor's time being so much taken up that he cannot attend to letters unless paid for it.

P. S.—Apartments privately arranged.

A CARD.

FROM Dr. J. C. Young's Private Medical Office.—TO THE AFFLICTED.—In this age of progress, when science is developing itself in such a manner as to appear almost miraculous, everything in common place is looked upon as not worth notice. In view of this fact, DR. YOUNG, corner of Montgomery and California streets, San Francisco, California, has concluded to leave the beaten track hitherto pursued by most scientific physicians, (that of waiting for the public to find you out alone,) and publish to the world, as much as may be, his knowledge of the healing art, to let those who are in need of assistance know where they can find relief, without fear of being imposed upon.

In continuation of this object, Dr. Young would say that for the past ten years he has pursued the practice of medicine in one of the largest cities of the United States, with the highest success, and that his standing as a physician is without reproach, having at one time been lecturer at the University of Pennsylvania on venerial diseases, &c.

Upon all these considerations, Dr. Young has confidence in introducing himself to the public, knowing that they will sustain well earned merit.

The following are a few of the many testimonials, which have appeared in the public journals the last few years:

[From the Boston Medical Journal.]

Although we are opposed to the system of advertising, for good and sufficient reasons, still we deem it bust justice to say that Dr. Young is one of the most industrious and indefatigable votaries of the medical science in the United States.

[From Professor Jackson.]

The subscriber is personally acquainted with Dr. Young, and has seen much of his practice, and can bear testimony to his merits as a practitioner.

[From the New York Herald.]

The eminence of this distinguished gentleman in his profession, and the very extended opportunities possessed by him for the observation of venereal disease, makes his services invaluable to those afflicted with the above complaints.

MEDICAL ADVICE.

DR. J. C. Young, who has become so celebrated for the thousands of cures which he has performed on old, chronic, mercurial, syphilitic, and all private diseases, without mercury, is consulted daily at his office, corner of Montgomery and California streets, from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. A cure guaranteed or no pay.

Dr. J. C. Young has probably had more practice in venereal diseases than any other physician in California. He cures all the most aggravated cases of this disease, and mild ones he removes in from two to five days. The doctor has for many years, been known as the most eminent and successful physician in the United States, and what is more important to the patient, he always effects a speedy and permanent cure.

Travelers, seamen, miners and others, who wish to be cured without mercury, hindrance from business, or exposure to friends, should apply to him as soon as possible, and a perfect cure will be guaranteed in all curable cases. Recollect the name and number, Dr. J. C. Young, corner of Montgomery and California streets.

Office open from 6 A. M. to 8 P. M.

CONSTITUTIONAL DEBILITY.

DR. SEMINAL WEAKNESS.—Dr. Young addresses those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences in that secret and solitary habit which ruins the body and mind, unfitting them for either business or society. The following are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: weakness of the back and limbs, in pain the head, dimness of sight, loss of muscular power, palpitation of the heart, dyspepsia, nervousness, irritability, derangement of the digestive functions, general debility, symptoms of consumption, &c.

Mentally the fearful effects on the mind are more to be dreaded. Loss of memory, confusion of ideas, depression of spirits, evil forebodings, aversion to society, self-distrust, love of solitude, timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.

All persons who are afflicted with any of the above symptoms should not fail to call on Dr. Young, and be at once restored to perfect health. Let no false delicacy prevent you, but apply immediately, and save yourself from the dreadful and awful consequences of this terrible malady.

WEAKNESS OF THE ORGANS

immediately cured and full vigor restored.

DR. J. C. YOUNG,
Corner of Montgomery and California streets.

For sale as above, the celebrated French Lunar Pills, these pills are now acknowledged by the medical fraternity to be the only safe, mild and effectious remedy to be depended upon in long standing cases of suppression, irregularity, or stopping of the functions of nature, the neglect of which is the source of such deplorable effects on the female frame.

N. B.—These pills are highly celebrated as a preventive.

Price $5 per box. DR. J. C YOUNG.
Corner of Montgomery and California streets.

PRIVATE MEDICAL OFFICE.

HUNDREDS of those who have contracted disease are disappointed of a cure by not calling on DR. YOUNG at first. He will forfeit any sum if he fails to cure any case that may come under his care, no matter how long standing and afflicting, such as ulcers, tumors, nodes, bunches, pimples on the face and body, pains in the bones and joints, wakefulness, trembling, copper colored sores, wasting of the bones, emaciation, loss of appetite, strength and flesh, sores in the nose and ears, loss of hair, weak eyes, itching humors, &c., &c. Many persons, after being relieved of all external appearances of private disease, suppose themselves cured, but after a few months find they are troubled with various symptoms which they never had before, and which they find it impossible to relieve.

To all who are afflicted in this way, Dr. Young would particularly recommend a trial of his skill. The symptoms with which you are troubled are caused by taints in the blood, which sooner or later will destroy your health and happiness. No person who has ever had an attack of any private complaint should fail to consult Dr. Young, and take a few bottles of his invaluable purifying medicine, as they can rest assured that their blood is in a perfectly pure and healthy condition, and that every trace of disease is removed from the system.

Recent cases cured in from two to five days, without change of diet or hindrance from business, or no charge.

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HIGHLY IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.

DR. J. C. YOUNG, who is celebrated for curing all private complaints of both sexes, has discovered a remedy for the cure of old, long standing cases of gonorrhœa and gleets, which he has tried in more than one hundred cases, successfully, many of which had baffled the skill of eminent physicians for years; and in not one single case has it failed, nor can it ever fail, as the nature of the remedy is such that it strikes at the root of the complaint, and eradicates it completely in a few days. New cases cured in an incredibly short space of time, without change of diet or hindrance from business.

N. B.—A permanent cure guaranteed to all in the shortest possible time, or no pay will be taken.

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